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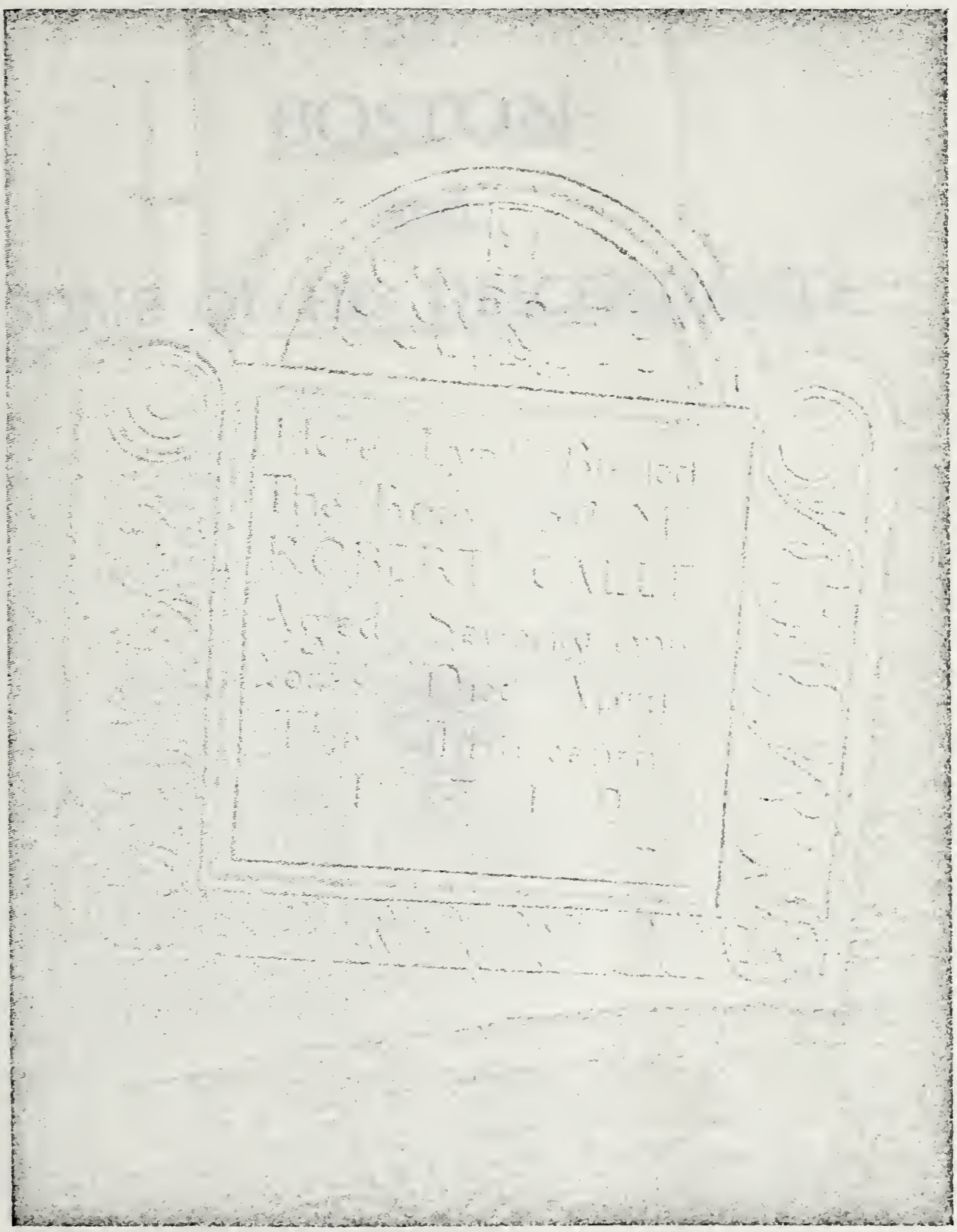

ROBERT CALEF
1648 - 1719
Eustis Street Burying Ground
Roxbury, Massachusetts

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of

BOSTON

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ROBERT CALEF AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS.

By Anne Calef Boardman

A genealogy may be, for those who consult it, little more than a list of names and dates conveniently arranged. Those who compile its facts and figures, however, find it something quite different, for which dates and names are but the framework. It is a panorama that this family presents—the social history in miniature of this land from Massachusetts Bay to the Golden Gate.

The Calef picture begins dramatically with Robert, the emigrant, a man of sanity and public spirit, unmoved alike by the hysteria of the witchcraft delusion or by the "great" of his day. His sons, his sons-in-law, his grandsons, are builders of the industries of Boston and thereabouts. They are land owners and often physicians, Sons' sons followed the sea or pushed into the forests to the north, eastward and westward. Short lives often and no families for those Calef seamen, as is the fate of sailors; but for the frontiersmen many sons and daughters, and the danger, greater than that of the sea, of Indian raids. Neither perils nor failures held them back from clearing new land, felling trees and building mills, while the daughters, careless of hardship, set up new homes further north and further east and further west, till the Revolution broke and for the time gave pause to settlement.

The Boston Tea Party numbered three Calef cousins among its participants. Continental muster rolls give records of many a Calef soldier and sailor. One young seaman, captured by the British, was confined in Mill Prison, Plymouth, England, but escaped to take command of a brig, famous for its capture of a British ship. At about the same time a Tory cousin was laboring in London to have Eastern Maine set off as a loyal colony, but the Revolution found few Tories in the family.

The exhaustion of the country after the war, is marked among the Calefs as the beginning, for a goodly number, of their trek west, first to northern Pennsylvania. Later they are in Minnesota, Illinois, on the Plains, and early in California and Oregon. It is a pity that stories of these pioneers are lacking, for they were of those who built, bit by bit, hardship by hardship, courage by courage, the empire beyond the Alleghanies.

In New England the Calefs pushed north from Boston to Exeter and Portsmouth and shared in the founding of Chester, Sanbornton and other New Hampshire towns. A few of their early homesteads are still standing, some with the old family burying ground not far away. In one such, under the shadow of Calef Hill, generations of Calefs lie—forever a part of the stern land they loved.

There was no divided family when the Civil War came. Their record, of names scattered west and east, is a symbol of the thousands of other families whose sons bore their part, privates and officers, prisoners, wounded, killed, in the life and death struggle to which the land was foredoomed.

This genealogy is a continuation and amplification of the work of Mr. William Wallace Lunt of the Hingham Historical Society, published in 1928. His data has been compared with whatever information has since come to hand, new records added and, where there is slight disagreement, such as in the spelling of a name, the reading adopted that seems, on the evidence presented, the more probable. In a few instances, where the differences were important, the records have been reviewed and the reasons for decisions arrived at are given under the entries. There has, outside of this comparison, been no attempt to re-verify in detail the dates and lists as they already exist. The present editor has accepted the careful work of her forerunner, and has simply tried to give to the members of the Calef family information till now scattered and largely inaccessible.

It is impossible to vouch for the accuracy of many anecdotes included, since these rest mainly upon family

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tradition, but nothing of which there seems reason for doubt has been used.

One question, however, demands more complete treatment. It has been largely taken for granted that all Calefs in the United States are descendants of Robert, but Mr. Lunt himself was uneasy over the appearance of an unknown Stephen and an unattached Jonathan in records of Charlestown, Mass. He finally gave both, with a question mark, to Peter (11). No official record has been found, however, giving Peter a son Stephen, while a Jonathan of the same time and place had a son Stephen. To add to the puzzle, an earlier Stephen was in Charlestown in 1700 petitioning the Massachusetts Committee on Claims as to lands in the "Eastern Country." The boundaries had been destroyed in the Indian War of the preceding ten years, and Stephen claimed "a tract of land lying within the towns of Edgecomb and Newcastle, and bounded as follows, viz: beginning at Sheepscot Falls over a cove to a parcel of marsh on the other side of the river which bounds it from the Burnt Islands, which is the northerly end thereof, and from thence to a freshet called the Oven's Mouth, also one full sixth part of two three hundred acre lots laid out in Sheepscot to David Allen formerly of Boston, deceased, which land was conveyed by Thomas and Francis Allen to Samuel Calef, uncle to said Stephen."

This record leaves no doubt that there were a Samuel and a Stephen Calef in this country before 1700 who are not included in any known records of Robert's family. That this first Stephen may be the father of the Jonathan who had a boy Stephen (39) baptized in Charlestown, February 13th, 1743, is a reasonable guess, but upheld only by the indirect evidence of lack of any other father for Jonathan. It is a curious fact, however, that among the descendants of Jonathan and his son, the second Stephen (39), of whom there chance to be full records, the name Stephen is found frequently, while hardly used at all in the lines of the undoubted descendants of Robert. On the other hand, the name of Robert is found in all other early Robert lines, but not once in that of Stephen

(39). Also, Stephen's branch spelled the name "Califf" from the time of the son of Stephen (39).

Since there is not such documentary proof as to justify the division of the family between two ancestors, Robert and Stephen, the usage of Mr. Lunt in keeping Stephen's (39) descent from Peter (11) has been followed, but the name (Califf) is inserted with all entries of this line. The alternative descent would read Stephen, Jonathan, Stephen (39).

In Savage's "Genealogical Dictionary of the First Settlers of New England," a James Calef "at Rowley, 1644" heads the Calef list—but with no further information. When he came, what he did, where he went, is all unknown, but with a James in Rowley, a Robert in Boston, a Samuel in what is now Maine, before 1700, one wonders if after all the Calef family may not have possessed two of the proverbial three brothers.

Happily for the genealogist "Uncle Samuel" seems to have done nothing more complicating than to buy forests while the Indians were still peering between the branches. So the descendants of "possibly Peter" as Mr. Lunt in despair of finding further data, described them, are left to take their choice of forebear between the emigrant Robert and Stephen of the Maine woods.

This task has been a labor of love, born of the memory of the deep interest taken by Major Benjamin Shreve Calef of Boston, and by Judge Calef of Middletown, in preserving for future Calefs the record of their forebears, whose lives were built, staunch and true, into this our land. Loyalty to the old name, to what it stood for and still demands from those who bear it today, has been expressed in letters from many parts of the country. "My son is Robert Calef," writes a man from the south —as do others from northern and far western states. What more could Robert Calef ask than that his children's children, cherishing his name through the generations, should so honor, through him, a fearless devotion to truth and justice.

A. C. B.

1. ROBERT CALEF, the emigrant, of Boston and Roxbury, Mass., b. probably abt. 1648, England; d. 13 April 1719, Roxbury, Mass., "aged 71"; m. abt. 1670, Mary ——, b. ——; d. 12 Nov. 1719, Roxbury.

Children, born probably in England:

2 i JOSEPH, b. abt. 1671.
3 ii ROBERT, b. abt. 1674.
4 iii JOHN, b. abt. 1675.
5 iv JEREMIAH, b. abt. 1683.
6 v MARTHA.
7 vi MARY, b. 1686.

Children, born at Boston:

vii EDWARD, b. 30 Jan. 1688.
viii DANIEL, b. 27 Dec. 1691; d. 13 April 1712; buried in Eliot Cemetery, Roxbury.

The first record found of Robert and Mary Calef is that of the baptism of their son Edward at the New South Church, Boston, in 1688. In what year they came to this new land, and whether James Calef, forty years before in Rowley, and Samuel Calef, land owner in "the Eastern Country," now Maine, before 1700, were kin, are questions for the curious. All we know is that there were six children in the home of the doughty merchant when Edward was born, and since no record of their baptisms is found, it may safely be taken that they had been born in England, though their town is still to discover.

The family is of English origin. Camden's "Remains of Britaine" gives the epitaph of Sir John Calfe who lived in the days of Henry III, 1216 to 1270. A century later "the Danish King Waldemar IV gave to the nobleman Calf, his intimate friend, the Castle of Ripon, in Jutland" as is told in Sinding's "History of Scandinavia." In the Church of St. Nicholas in London, is an inscription to the memory of one John Calfe, dated 1426, and "Visitations" of several churches, as St. George's and St. Paul's, have references to Calfe or Calef.

Coming closer to Robert the emigrant is the will of Jerome Calfe made on the 11th of February 1640, at Stansted, England. Jerome left his goods to his brothers,

Joseph, Robert, Edward, and to a nephew, Jerome, son of a brother William. These names are borne by sons and grandsons of Robert of Boston, save Jerome, and if that were used as a form of Jeremiah, the coincidence is complete.

Robert held continuing relations with the mother country, for he was part owner at different times of four vessels, the *Three Brothers,* captured from the French in July, 1696; the *Unity,* the *Katharine,* and late in life, the *Adventure.* Through the eighteenth century his grandsons and great grandsons were in close business relations with the London firm of Robert Calef and John Chuter, of 18 St. Mary's Axe, later of Old City Chambers, Bishopgate Street. It is noteworthy, too, that this firm came forward at once, without solicitation, to contribute to the fund raised in London for the sufferers from the Boston fire of 1787.

Legend, which his career in the new world gives no reason to doubt, says that Robert was well educated, attended one of the universities, was liberal in his views and, due to too sympathetic defense of the Quakers, found it well to leave England. He established himself as a merchant and cloth maker, and was soon one of Boston's solid citizens, serving as administrator of three estates in 1690 and appointed constable in 1691. He had reached Boston in an evil day, however, for men of his temper. The belief in witchcraft, throughout Europe for four centuries the source of untold mental anguish, of persecution and of hideous deaths, had crossed the Atlantic in the mental luggage of the settlers. Increase Mather, president of Harvard, had published his "Illustrious Providences" in 1684, and his son Cotton Mather had followed this in 1689 by "Memorable Providences Relating to Witchcraft and Possessions." The delusion came to its head in Salem in 1692 where five men and women, protesting their innocence, were hung in one day. In all, twenty were executed and many lay in prison before sanity returned. The Salem hangings had given pause

to the hysteria and the governor, Sir William Phips, coming back to Boston from an expedition against the French and Indians, thought matters were going too far. He dismissed the court he had set up and released the accused awaiting trial.

This might have seemed the end of the terror, but early in the next year another case of witchcraft was announced, this time in the North Church, the special domain of the Mathers, and Robert Calef went with others to visit this young woman, Margaret Rule, when Increase and Cotton Mather were both to be there. A description of Calef on this occasion exists in an article in the *Boston Saturday Evening Gazette* of September 7, ——, by Walter Littlefield.

"He (Mather) was confronted by a little gentleman dressed entirely in black, whose dark eyes snapped with angry intelligence toward the parson, who had just entered; this individual was Robert Calef, a man who had read a great deal, and thought a great deal, and who earned his daily bread by carrying on the trade of a clothier. He had made a study of the case of the invalid during Mather's absence, and had come to the conclusion that she was simply the victim of nervous prostration, that was fast approaching insanity under the management of the deluded pastor. Words arose between the two in the sick chamber; Calef always calm and logical, Mather rapidly waxing passionate, until, losing his temper entirely, he told his opponent that he was 'one of the worst liars'—and left the house in a rage."

The result of this encounter was a series of letters and a description of the examination made by the two clergymen of the poor woman that caused Cotton Mather to have Calef arrested for slander, and to decry him from the pulpit.

Calef appears to have been unperturbed by the arrest, and used part of his time while on bail to write further to the incensed minister. The case was dismissed, no one appearing against Robert, but he still persisted in his demand for a reply to his questions. What he asked for and never got was scripture warrant for the definition of witchcraft and for the methods used to discover witches,

that had led to "a biggotted zeal stirring up a most Blind and Bloody rage not against enemies or irreligious, profligate persons, but against as virtuous and as religious as any they have left behind them in this country," and "occasioning great Dishonour and Blasphemy of the name of God, . . . and as a natural effect thereof . . . great increase of Atheism".

He analyzes the doctrines behind this madness to their logical conclusions, to a universe ruled by two powers, God and the Devil, and declares that the leaders are but the ancient Manicheans come to life; that the Indians share their belief and that the Papists borrowed it from the heathen. He is afire with indignation over "that hobgoblin monster witchcraft, whereby this country was nightmared" and in his horror at the events he blames the learning of the day, the "heathen philosophies," in which he himself had probably been trained, as the source of these diabolical beliefs. When Cotton Mather offers the use of his library that Calef may become better informed on the subject which he is daring to discuss, he retorts, "I thank God I have the Bible, and I do judge that sufficient to demonstrate the foundation of Religion." "That there are witches is not in doubt, the scriptures else were in vain which affirm their punishment to be death, but what this witchcraft is and wherein it does consist seems to be the whole difficulty."

The "levitation" of Margaret Rule he turns back upon her minister with the comment, that, if true, it appears to settle the question "long controverted between the Protestants and Papists, whether miracles are ceased," in favor of the Papists!

His letters infuriate Cotton Mather to such phrases as "vile fool," "instrument of Satan," "coal from Hell," but while Calef was always studiously courteous the flashes of satire and again of humor make no doubt that he is enjoying the combat. His relish is plain to read in the postscript which he adds to a respectful letter in 1693, to report the comment made by an Indian to a Captain Hill at Saco Fort. "French ministers," said the Indian, "are better than English ministers, for before the French

came there were a great many witches among the Indians, but now there are none, and there are witches among the English ministers, as Burroughs, who was hanged for it."

"Were I disposed to make reflections upon it," adds Calef, "I suppose you will judge the field large enough, but I forbear."

He inquires, in his reply to an "uninterested gentleman" who came to the defense of the witchcraft theory, if good angels, only able to go on missions when sent by God, are not therefore less powerful than fallen angels who, according to the teachings in question, could and did "go to and fro on the earth seeking whom they may devour." Perhaps his neatest conclusion is written also to this defender of orthodoxy. "The Romanists are much obliged to you for making transubstantiation . . . to be of as old a date as the appearance of devils, and that the one implieth no more contradiction than the other: if so we do well to think seriously whether we are not guilty of great sin in separating from them . . . "

His account of certain of the witchcraft cases follows these various letters and really completes the book, but the appearance of a laudatory "Life of Sir William Phips" was more than Calef could endure in silence. He adds to his book a "Postscript," not carefully considered like his letters, but red hot. Though Phips's biography had been issued without signature, Calef remarks that "it were not witchcraft to determine that Mr. Cotton Mather is the author of it." Then follows a scathing review that yields us one more fact about Robert himself. He was as opposed to the political theories of the Mathers as he was to their theology.

No Boston printer would risk printing this handful of dynamite and the papers travelled to England where they found a publisher, Nath. Hillar of London. Calef may have sent them to those London Calefs whose relationship was closer than mere business, or have taken them over himself. They did not come back till 1700, and then the booksellers eyed askance the beautiful small quarto, hardly more than a pamphlet. They saw only danger to themselves in reopening the controversy that had lain a few

years quiet, and refused counter room. How the author dealt with the edition one cannot guess. President Increase Mather "ordered the wicked book to be burnt in the College Yard"—presumably he had a copy. Cotton Mather had one, now in the possession of the Massachusetts Historical Society. Governor Bellomont's copy was sent him by Robert with an inscription in the author's beautiful and clear writing, and is now one of the treasures of the New York Public Library. The Mathers themselves saw to it that the book should be well advertised, for they encouraged the printing of a reply by a group of members of the North Church. This bears the title "Some few remarks on a Scandalous Book against the Government and Ministry of New England, by one Robert Calef, detecting the unparalelled malice and falsehood of said book, composed and published by several persons belonging to the flock of some of the injured pastors, and concerned for their justification, printed in Boston, 1701."

Here was the end of the episode. Judges and jury were coming to their senses and confessing their error. The people were awaking from the nightmare, shocked at what they had approved. Of Calef, twenty-five years later Mather's son Thomas said, "The man is dead, his book died long before him." It was however still so alive that it was worth while to reprint it in 1796. There were several editions in the last century and a partial reprint is included in Burr's authoritative study of Calef published in 1914. Hutchinson, closely related to the Mathers, writes in his "History of Massachusetts" of Calef as 'a fair man, who substantiated his facts', and Andrew D. White in "Warfare of Science and Theology" places him beside Montaigne, Voltaire, and Tomasius in his effort for right reason.

There has been dispute as to authorship, some attributing the work to Robert, son of the emigrant, but a comparison of the two handwritings, were there no internal evidence that thought and phrase are those of a mature man, has settled that question. Also it has been held that Calef was in a fashion a mouthpiece and helped in the compositions by those who would not come out into the

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open, Mr. Brattle, brother of the treasurer of Harvard being especially named. The Brattles had no need to hide behind Calef, both suffering for sufficiently outspoken criticism of the court and church proceedings. Calef no doubt consulted with others of like mind. He lays no claim to learning, but "that his reading is larger than he cares to parade" writes Burr, "is evident to the student of the literature of witchcraft."

Whether or not his single-handed attack on the mighty injured him financially, it did not apparently hurt his standing in the community. Indeed, as though one risk were not enough, in the midst of the fray he, with Thomas Banister, went bail for Thomas Maule, a Quaker of Salem, who had published a book about that sect, "Truth held Forth and Maintained." It is likely that this is the work described by Cotton Mather as "That vile book of Tom Maule's which the General Court condemned unto the flames."

Defender of outcasts as he was and no respecter of persons, Calef's fellow townsmen trusted him. He was fence viewer, clerk of the market, appraiser. He was called as juror of inquest, commissioner of an estate, arbitrator in a dispute as to a ship's cargo of "blackin' and starch." He was for several years overseer of the poor with Judge Sewall, who calls at his house to talk over the town's charities. At the time of his removal to Roxbury in 1710, he was tithing-man, an office of dignity, tapping the heads of drowsy parishioners and restless girls and boys being but the lighter part of its duties.

In Roxbury he and Mary had a dozen quiet years in which they watched their children make their way as substantial citizens. Daniel, the youngest child, died and was buried in the Eliot Cemetery. The daughter Mary married Roxbury's physician, Dr. Stevens, and lived near by. The other daughter was in Portsmouth. Sons were in near-by Boston and Ipswich and pioneering in New Hampshire and there were already a few books in these new homes, and bits of silver. In Roxbury, Robert himself set up loom and dye house, bought and leased tracts of land, still ventured in foreign trade and

served his fellowtownsmen as selectman until the day came when he knew that he had fought his last battle. Trusted neighbors were called and children and a grandson, and the old man told what was to be done with his property. In another room these friends wrote down what he had told them and signed it. The will, in this rare form gave everything to the beloved wife, Mary to be divided after her death among the children. It was a large property. Mary outlived her husband by but a few months, and the grandson, Joseph, was years in settling the estate. A lawsuit as to a lease in Dorchester ran until 1771. Mary's family name is nowhere given, but close friends and next-door neighbors were the Dorrs, and their names and Mary's are found together on deeds that suggest family ownership.

Among the immediate descendants of Robert and Mary Calef there is one fact noticeable that might be laid to the door of Robert's passage at arms with the Mathers. All the family were good church folk, subscribing to steeples and bells and owning pews and helping to choose ministers; but, unlike many families of like standing, there were no clergymen among them before the Rev. Jonathan Calef, born in 1762, and few indeed thereafter. There were merchants, sailors, farmers, teachers and physicians often, but not ministers.

Whittier, writing a century and a half later of the bitterness born of those hideous witch-ridden days, faces forward, in the close of his lines on "Calef of Boston."

> When the thought of man is free
> Error flees its lightest tones
>
> . . . .
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> Evil can but serve the right
> Over all shall Love endure.

Today we know a little more of the power and the peril of mass psychology and of fear, so look more understandingly on those who yield, while honoring those who, like Robert Calef, are wise and brave enough to withstand injustice.

2 JOSEPH (Robert) of Ipswich, Mass., b. probably abt. 1671, England; d. 28 Dec. 1707, Ipswich; m. 2 May

1693, Boston, by Rev. James Allen, Mary Ayer, b. 6 Aug. 1666, Haverhill, Mass.; d. 1743, Ipswich; dau. of "Cornet" Peter and Hannah (Allen) Ayer, Haverhill.

Children, born at Ipswich:

8 i ROBERT, b. 12 Dec. 1693.
9 ii JOSEPH, b. 20 May 1695.
iii SAMUEL, b. 25 Jan. 1697; d. 11 Sept. 1720, unm.
10 iv EBENEZER, b. 25 Jan. 1697.
11 v PETER, b. 27 Oct. 1699.
12 vi MARY, b. 12 June 1708 (posthumous).

Joseph added the profession of physician to that of clothier. Mary Ayer's father was a merchant in Boston, and a large landowner in Haverhill. In 1691-2 in Ipswich, "Mr. Joseph Calef had a grant of land with Liberty to Sett up a Fulling Mill in any Convenient place not allreddy given or granted to another . . . provided it be done and finished within twelve months after this day upon These conditions that he full cloth for ye Inhabitants for their pay sooner than for other townsmen." A fulling mill and saw mill on Mill River were finished just in time for the wedding, and the young people set up housekeeping with an uncommonly good start in life for those pioneer days.

In 1699 he is one of the subscribers for the bell of the New Meeting House and his seat in the church is one of position. In Ipswich the women of the leading families sat against the wall and "ye fifth pew on ye south east side of ye great door" was Mary's. Joseph sat with the men in the fourth seat, one occupied only by those bearing titles of respect. His stone in the First Parish graveyard reads:

Here Lyes What Was Mortal of Mr Joseph Calef who Died December ye 28, 1707 in ye 36 year of His age.

Mary Ayer was an able woman and brought up the six children and a grandson well. Not until all her children were grown up did she marry Thomas Choate and so happy were the relations with this stepfather that he left a legacy to her daughter Mary Calef White, while his son by a former marriage, Col. John Choate, was the guardian of her orphan grandson, John Calef, and left

him a legacy. Her grave is in the old Essex yard which once was a part of Ipswich, then called Chebacco, where was Thomas Choate's home.

3 ROBERT (Robert) of Boston, b. probably abt. 1674, in England; d. 4 Dec. 1722, Chatham, Mass.; m. 23 Dec. 1699, Boston, Margaret Barton; d. btw. May and Sept. 1744; dau. of James and Margaret Barton of Boston and Newton, Mass.

Children, born at Boston:

i JAMES, b. 21 Dec. 1702; d. young.
13 ii ELIZABETH, b. 7 May 1704.
14 iii ANN, b. 7 July 1708.
15 iv MARGARET, b. 4 Oct. 1709.
v JAMES, b. 24 Feb. 1711; d. 13 Jan. 1713.
vi MARY, b. 25 Jan. 1712; d. young.
vii JAMES, b. 7 Nov. 1714; living in 1753, Bath, N. C.
viii ROBERT, b. 24 Feb. 1716; d. before 1720.

Robert, jr., spelled his name "Calfe" and signed it in an upright handwriting. He and Margaret Barton were married, as were others of his family, by the well-known clergyman of the New South Church, the Reverend James Allen. Robert followed his father's trade of cloth maker, and bought himself his first outfit in 1699—"one copper, one press with press paper, two looms with all the tackling." But by 1707-8 he sold many of his tools and had turned to "trading" in goods and in lands.

He was clerk of the market in 1706, constable the following year, and member of Captain Savage's company. In 1710 he was made a member of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company.

In 1711 as "shopkeeper" he, with others, leased for ninety-nine years from his father-in-law, James Barton, a wharf and warehouse in Boston. Judge Sewall mentions calling at Robert's shop, and it is from his diary that we know of the death of the second boy, James, for the Judge went to the funeral.

Though still interchangeably "clothier" and "merchant," Robert was dealing in land in Cambridge, Newton, Brookline, as well as Boston. In 1719 Margaret

acted as his attorney in fact, which suggests that he may have had an illness in that year. This may well explain why he, the eldest son living, was not made administrator of his father's estate.

In 1721 Mary and Robert were of those courageous parents who had Dr. Boylston inoculate their children for small-pox.

He drew his will, singularly well-considered and just, in 1720. It reads:

By the grace of God, Amen. . . . being now in sound body and minde, yett considering my own Naturall frailty of Life doe now make this my last will and testament. First and foremost, committing my Soule into ye hands of Allmighty God, hopeing a remishon and pardon of all my Sins in and by ye Merrits of my Saviour and Redeemer, ye Lord Jesus Christ, and then committing my Body to the Earth from whence it was derived in hope of a Glorvous Reaserrection at Christ Second Appearance. My Will is that after my Body is Decently Entered according to ye Discretion of my well beloved wife . . . [she] shall have all and Singular ye improvement of my whol Estate during her widdowhood and in case that She Shall See cause to alter her condition by marriage that then She Shall quitt her administrationship and the Improvement of the Estate wholly to be for the bennifitt of my children, only two hundred pounds I will unto her upon her marriage. . . . my son James shall have one Hundred Pounds when of Age more than aney of the rest of My Children, and allso I doe hereby give and bequeath two Hundred Pounds ought of My Said Estate in order for defraying the charges of bringing him up to the Collig, if he incline to larning, but if not, then to be equally divided among him and the rest of my children..(viz. Elizabeth, Ann and Margaret) together with what children it Shall please God to give me and my present wife . . . and it is my minde and will that my daughters Elizabeth, Ann and Margaret have an equal proportion of all my whole Estate, both personall and reall, only what is before excepted unto my son James. . . .

Robert was found drowned at Chatham, and a coroner's jury pronounced that he "voluntarily and feloniously, as a felon, of himself, did Kill and murder himself by Drowning himself against the Peace of our Soverign Lord the King, his crown and Dignity."

There is much to make the student discredit the decision of those fourteen citizens. Suicide was looked on with such horror as to be almost unknown. There is nothing in the records to suggest that Robert was of a nervous temperament. Certainly the will, with its just and generous foresight for every member of his family and its provision for possible future children, was drawn up, one would say, by an uncommonly well-balanced person. The excellent marriages made by the three daughters suggest that there was no shadow of disgrace attaching to the family, as would be looked for at that time had the decision been generally accepted. It may not be amiss to weigh also the fact that his father, the fearless opponent of the witchcraft persecutions, was not long dead and many of his enemies still lived. Robert himself was by some believed to be the author of his father's book, so that here was an opportunity to discredit the author that could hardly be overlooked.

The only living son, James, for whose education Robert made careful provision, did not "incline to larning," but became a brazier and was far away in North Carolina when his mother died. He appointed John Scollay of Boston his attorney and sold all the property that was his inheritance. He was living in Bath Town, N. C., in 1753, but nothing further is known of him.

A portrait of Margaret Barton Calef is still owned in the family. Her will gave each of her grandchildren twenty pounds, except Ann and Rebecca Green, who were to have thirty each. The first granddaughter to be married was to have a bed. The fortunate granddaughter was probably Margaret Green, her namesake, who married in 1750, Richard Draper, printer and publisher of the *Massachusetts Gazette* and *Boston Weekly News Letter*.

4 JOHN (Robert) of Newbury, Mass.; Nottingham and Chester, N. H.; b. probably abt. 1675 in England; d. btw. March and May, 1748, Chester; m. 10 June 1702, Boston, Mass., by Mr. Sam Willard, Deborah King, bp.

18 May 1679, Hingham, Mass.; d. ——; dau. of William and Deborah (Prince) King of Boston.

Children, born at Newbury:

16 i JOHN, b. 3 June 1703.
ii DEBORAH, b. 21 Jan. 1705; d. before 1747.
17 iii WILLIAM, b. 17 July 1706.
18 iv MARY, b. 4 Feb. 1708.
19 v JAMES, b. 31 Jan. 1710.
20 vi KING, b. 5 Nov. 1711.
21 vii ROBERT, b. 7 May 1715.
22 viii JOSEPH, b. 31 Oct. 1718.
23 ix DANIEL, b. 10 Jan. 1720.

John was one of the petitioners for the grant of Nottingham, and a grantor of Chester, N. H.

He moved to Chester in 1734, where, when he was sixty, he was granted the "liberty to build a fulling mill at Massabeesek brook, between the two Ponds." He was a much-trusted citizen, being appointed to collect the rates from the Newbury proprietors of Chester, one of a committee to adjust the selectman's accounts, and three times himself selectman. In the division of the Chester church into two camps, Presbyterian and Congregational, he was a leader in the latter; on the committee to choose the minister, to sell seats in the meeting house and to set the salary. When after five years of dissension over theology and church taxes, two parishes were set up, he signed a remarkable report on this settlement to the General Court, stating that "since which time they have proceeded in the most cordial manner and have endeavoured to take the best method the circumstances will admit to raise money for the respective ministers."

He and Deborah reared a sturdy family whose members gave good account of themselves. His will made in 1748 reads: "Imprimis, I give to my wife, Deborah, a good and suitable maintenance, in sickness and in health, becoming her quality, during her Natural life, to be rendered to her by my executor." To his six sons he gave twenty shillings each; to the three children of his daughter, Mary Etheridge, ten shillings each. The remainder of his estate he gave to his son Robert, his sole executor.

and to him committed the care and maintenance of Deborah.

Widow Deborah King Calef is said to have married a Robert Smith, but her mother, Deborah King, is also said to have married a man of the same name, which suggests a possible misreading of records.

5 JEREMIAH (Robert) of Portsmouth and Exeter, N. H.; b. abt. 1683, probably in England; d. 6 March 1762, Exeter, "ae 79"; m. 2 Dec. 1708, Portsmouth, Lucy Chadbourne; b. ——; d. May or June 1752; dau. of James and Elizabeth (Heard) Chadbourne of Kittery, Me.

Children, born at Portsmouth:

24 i JEREMIAH, b. abt. 1710.
25 ii DANIEL, b. abt. 1713.
iii LUCY, b. abt. 1715; d. after 1762; m. William French.
26 iv JAMES, b. abt. 1720.

Jeremiah, the fourth son of the emigrant, Robert, when about fourteen, apprenticed himself "with the consent of his parents" to Peter Osgood, tanner of Salem, "until he is twenty-one years of age, which will be March 6, 1705."

This apprenticeship served, he went to his sister, Martha Hewes, in Portsmouth, where he set up as a clothier. He married Lucy Chadbourne, who brought a cow, the legacy of her grandmother, Lucy Treworgie Chadbourne, to her new home.

He was again in 1716 at his first trade, when he bought land, a house and tan flats in Portsmouth. Eight years later he was a clothier in Exeter, where he had also a grist mill. He was an original proprietor of Barrington and Gilmanton, N. H., and, like all his brothers, a constant trader in land.

His will, made in 1762, gives to "his son Jeremiah, then abroad," the copper kettle, iron plate and utensils of a clothier, but if he should not return to his native country, these are to go to his "two grandaughters, Lydia and Mary Calef, daughters of his said son, Jeremiah." To his daughter Lucy French and his son James he gave

"all my grist mill in Exeter standing at the up Dam on the great river a little below the great bridge."

6 MARTHA (Robert) of Portsmouth, N. H.; Dorchester, Mass.; b. probably in England; m. 28 Sept. 1700, Boston, Solomon Hewes, b. 2 Jan. 1675, Salisbury, N. H.; d. before 1744; son of George and Mary Hewes of Newbury, Mass.

Children, born in Portsmouth:

i GEORGE, b. 13 Aug. 1701; m. 14 Nov. 1728, Abigail Seaver.
ii WILLIAM, b. 2 Dec. 1706.
iii ROBERT, b. 2 Aug. 1708; m. Deborah ——: (6 chn.)
iv DANIEL, b. 4 July 1710; m. Abigail ——.
v SARAH, b. 6 July 1712.
vi {JOSEPH, b. 22 Dec. 1714.
vii {BENJAMIN, b. 22 Dec. 1714.
viii MARY, b. 24 Nov. 1716.
ix ELIZABETH, b. 28 March 1718.

Solomon Hewes was a "joyner" with several irons in his fire. He bought a quarter share in "a good sloop called 'Hope' . . . riding at anchor in the Merrimack" in 1701. This was for trade with Pennsylvania but proved a troublesome venture one guesses, bringing a lawsuit in its wake. Thereafter he seems to have kept to landsman's tasks.

In 1734 Martha and he bought the rights of the other heirs of her father to the "School Farm in the remote parts of Dorchester," to which the family had removed some years before.

The eldest son, George, was a versatile, energetic person, later described as "a glue-maker, soap-boiler, tanner, tallow chandler," who "perhaps filled up his leisure with other employments." One of his sons, George Twelves Hewes, with others of Calef blood, was among the Indians of the Boston Tea-party. His portrait hangs in the State House at Boston.

Robert, Martha's third son, was a respected physician of Boston. His son Robert, great-grandson of the emigrant, is said to have set up glass works in Concord, N. H.,

shortly after the Revolution, when oiled paper itself was a luxury. The art was all to learn. Some successful attempts were being made in Pennsylvania and New Jersey, but these were too far away to help New England. A fire destroyed Robert Hewes' first furnace. The second also met disaster. His own funds were used up and he appealed to the government for help in establishing the greatly needed industry. No support was granted, however, and he seems to have left Boston since there is a notice of a Robert Hewes, maker of crown glass, in Hartford, in 1788.

7 MARY (Robert) of Roxbury, b. probably in England; d. Nov. 1764, Roxbury; m. 10 Sept. 1712, Roxbury, 2nd wife of Dr. Samuel Stevens, b. 30 March 1682, Roxbury; d. ——; son of Capt. Timothy and Sarah (Davis) Stevens.

Children, born at Roxbury:

i MARY, b. 2 July 1713; d. 14 Jan. 1803; m. 29 May 1740, Joseph Warren.
ii DOROTHY, b. Feb. 1715.
iii TIMOTHY, b. 21 April 1717.
iv ABIGAIL, b. 25 Oct. 1720.
v ELIZABETH, b. 22 Dec. 1725.

"At the death of Capt. Samuel Stephen's wife the expense of mourning apparel was avoided according to the new method of the town of Boston, which meets with general approval." So wrote the Roxbury correspondent of the *Boston Gazette,* probably about 1764, since we read in Drake's *History of Roxbury,* "The extravagances and cost of funerals grew so burdensome" that in that year "the custom of presenting gloves except to bearers, was given up."

Dr. or Captain Stevens was one of those who signed the letter to the Rev. Mr. Adams of the Roxbury First Congregational Church asking that Tate and Brady's version of the Psalms be used instead of the New England version, a request that shows him abreast of his times but does not say much for his literary taste.

The only son, Dr. Timothy, was warned out of Wren-

tham in 1766, but for the reason there is no clue. Mary, the eldest child, married a farmer, Joseph Warren, and was left a widow with four boys to rear. Of these the eldest was General Joseph Warren, who had graduated from Harvard at eighteen, at twenty-three was established in Boston as a physician, was president of the Provincial Congress, and fell at Bunker Hill.

Mary Warren, herself, was a character of note, living in full faculty till ninety. "An unshaken confidence in the rectitude of the Divine government rendered her fine and serene through every stage of life. . . . It was this that heightened her relish for social intercourse . . . the cheerfulness it inspired together with an uncommon strength of mind made her, at a period of life which is usually but labor and sorrow, the welcome companion of the young and aged. . . . "

8 Robert (Joseph, Robert) of Ipswich, Mass., b. 12 Dec. 1693, Ipswich; d. 12 July 1730, Ipswich; m. 3 Nov. 1723, Ipswich, Margaret Staniford, b. 29 Nov. 1695; d. 7 Oct. 1727; dau. of Deacon John and Margaret (Harris) Staniford, Ipswich.

Children, born at Ipswich:

i Margaret, bp. 8 Nov. 1724; d. abt. 1733.
27 ii John, b. 30 Aug. 1726.
iii Joseph, b. 1727(?); d. before 1730.

Robert was one of the third generation to follow the family trade. In 1714-15 he bought for forty-five pounds of Francis Compton, innholder of Ipswich, a third part of "ye Island In Ipswich at a place called the falls . . . with one full third part of ye fulling and saw mill near adjoining thereto, together with all utensells thereto belonging to said third part of said Island and Mill, as Saws, Iron Crows, with all other appurtenances of what sort of kind soever, to said Mills belonging . . . and interest in ye water course thereto appertaining . . . " Here it may be taken that he carried on his business till he sold it in 1729, shortly before his death. In the records of his dealing in land we get the sense of a settled

country through the phrases: "old wood lot," "old upland rights."

He and Margaret died young, leaving two little children to the care of their grandmother Mary Ayer, the widow of Joseph Calef.

Robert left to his daughter, Margaret, then perhaps six years old, "all such things whether plate, Jewells, Lining or things whatsoever (that are put up in trunks) that were her mothers', also all such things as my Honoured Fathere Staniford has in custody That were her Mothers also I give unto my daughter my Negro Girl: also a full third part of all the rest of my estate whether Real, personell or movable."

All else went to his son John. Margaret died before she was old enough to open those trunks and there is a little account to a Mrs. Blair for gloves for Margaret's funeral and another for eight rings. Her uncle, Joseph Calef, administered her estate.

9 JOSEPH (Joseph, Robert) of Boston, Mass.; Cape Elizabeth, Me.; b. 20 May 1695, Ipswich, Mass.; d. before 29 Oct. 1781, Boston; m. 9 Nov. 1718, Newbury, Mass., Hannah Jordan, b. 1693, Spurwinck, Cape Elizabeth; d. 1772, Boston; dau. of Captain Dominicus and Hannah (Tristram) Jordan of Newbury.

Children, born at Boston:

i SARAH, b. 13 Nov. 1719; m. Col. Jabez Matthews.
ii SAMUEL, b. 22 July 1722; d. infancy.
iii SAMUEL, b. 4 Nov. 1724; d. Feb. 1803, Cape Elizabeth, unm.
28 iv JOSEPH, b. 4 Nov. 1724.
v HANNAH, bp. 19 March 1726; d. young.
vi EBENEZER WINTER, b. 18 May 1729; d. after 1806, Cape Elizabeth, unm.
vii. ROBERT, b. 27 Dec. 1731; d. young.
viii ROBERT, bp. 13 May 1733; d. young(?)
ix HANNAH, bp. 22 Feb. 1735; d. young.
x MARY, b. 1 May 1737; d. 3 April 1830; m. (1) Wm. Phillips, 25 Sept. 1770, New South Church, Boston, (2) Capt. James Perkins; no chn.

HANNAH (JORDAN) CALEF, WIFE OF JOSEPH CALEF
1693 - 1772

From the original by Copley in the Caroline M. Amory Collection

xi ELIZABETH, bp. 21 Sept. 1740; d. 1796, Cape Elizabeth, unm. (int. 5 Jan. 1764 to Isaac Gamberte?).

29 xii HANNAH, bp. 12 Dec. 1742.

Joseph and Hannah Calef were notable folk in the Boston of their day. Hannah's father, Captain Domenicus Jordan, had been killed by the Indians in 1703 and she with her mother, brothers and sisters had been carried captive to Canada. All save one, Mary Ann, were returned in safety. Mary Ann is heard of later as a "spinster-woman" of Three Rivers, Canada, when Joseph is acting as her attorney in the settlement of her grandfather's estate.

Joseph was present when his Grandfather Robert lay dying at Roxbury and makes his nuncupative will. The grandson, not then twenty-five, was chosen administrator by his aunts and uncles. This is but the first of many estates entrusted to him for settlement.

He owned a tannery and sold shoes and sheepskins to the army moving on Crown Point. This tannery, with others, was close by the spring that was one of the inducements to the settlement at Boston, and from this never-failing source Joseph supplied water for the casks of outgoing vessels. Over it the Boston Post Office now stands.

The Calef house, at the corner of Milk and Congress Streets, escaped the fire of 1760, though the tannery was burned. The house was built on the model of Governor Belcher's mansion. In it hung portraits by Copley, who had been, it is said, a clerk in the Office of the Market with one of the Calef boys. The only one of the portraits known to be in existence is that of the mistress of the house. This went to her daughter, Hannah, wife of Dr. Gottfried Smith, and to their daughter Hannah, Mrs. Charles Miller of Milton, Mass. Joseph's house is pictured in Snow's *History of Boston*. The State Bank now stands upon the site.

Early Joseph was busied in public affairs. He subscribed a pound in 1716 to the building of the New South Church and later twice that to the workhouse. He was fence viewer, clerk of the market, constable. His name is on petitions for town improvements. He was sent by

Governor Dummer with an important letter to Colonel Tyng at Dunstable after the tragic fight with the Indians at Pegwacket. With two others he arranged for the building of a fort at Falconnet Falls, Kennebec River. He subscribed to President Willard's "Whole Body of Divinity," one of the first folios printed in this country.

He dealt constantly in land, coming into many scattered acres through his Calef inheritances and Hannah's Jordan properties. There were tracts in Nottingham and Yarmouth and Falmouth, and round-about Boston. He was an original proprietor of New Boston, Maine. They sold Hannah's part in "Nonesuch Farm," Scarborough, that came from Robert Jordan, and bought land by Langmaid's Pond on Spurwinck Road at Cape Elizabeth. In 1774, two years after his wife's death, Joseph settled there.

The eldest child, Sarah, married Col. Jabez Matthews, a man of mark. He was sent as head of an embassy of four, through the wilderness to Quebec, to learn the temper of the people in relation to the Revolution. His account to the Provincial Congress was not favorable. In 1783 and 1784 he was Colonel of the Fourth Regiment Cumberland County, Maine.

Samuel and Elizabeth, the unmarried son and daughter, went to Cape Elizabeth with their father and lived there the rest of their lives.

Ebenezer Winter was a tanner and carried on his father's business in Boston. The records make him the typical bachelor brother and uncle, always settling family estates, laying up a comfortable fortune and leaving it to his kinsfolk.

No record has been found of the death of the second son named Robert, but since the many legal papers relating to the property of his Jordan grandparents, of his father Joseph, and of his brothers and sisters, never mention him, it seems unlikely that he lived to grow up.

Mary, the widow of Captain Perkins, lived in Ipswich to great age, dying in 1830. Of the dispute as to the authorship of "More Wonders of the Invisible World,"

she always said she knew from her father, that his grandfather, Robert the emigrant, was the author.

10 EBENEZER (Joseph, Robert) of Boston and Ipswich, Mass., b. 25 Jan. 1697, Ipswich; d. 17 May 1776, Boston; m. 8 April 1722, Elizabeth Fitch, b. ——; d. 22 July 1777; dau. of Jedediah and Abigail (Coffin) Fitch, Newbury, Mass.

Children, born at Nantucket:

i SAMUEL, bp. 29 Sept. 1728.
30 ii MARY, b. 2 March 1729.
31 iii PETER, bp. 26 Sept. 1731.
32 iv ROBERT, bp. 26 Sept. 1731.
33 v EBENEZER, bp. 22 July 1739.
34 vi ELIZABETH, bp. 22 July 1739.
35 vii MARGARET, bp. 16 Aug. 1747.

Ebenezer Calef, Esq., settled in Nantucket, "a Housewright, Carpenter and land owner." For thirty years he served as Justice of the Peace, and performed sixty-three marriages in that Quaker community. At a town meeting in 1746 he was appointed one of a committee of three to see that a lighthouse was built at Brant's Point. This was the second lighthouse built in this country, Boston Light being the first.

In his will, dated 1776, he writes, "And now, whereas I have in my lifetime handed out or given to sundry of my children sundry Goods and Furniture, as may be seen in my little Book marked E.C.A. wherein is charged the sundry as above, now my mind and Will is that those children of mine that are short of the Rest agreeable to said account in the little Book, shall first be made equal to the Rest before division. . . . "

His widow, Elizabeth Fitch Calef, dying the next year, left her clock and silver tankard to her son Ebenezer; to her daughter Mary Hussey, her "silver spout cup," dividing all the rest into five equal parts for her five children.

Though marriages were performed in Nantucket by Justices of the Peace, baptisms waited till a minister came to the Quaker community or till children could be taken to the mainland. So that baptisms and births are often a year or more apart, as is noted in the entries for Ebenezer's children.

11 PETER (Joseph, Robert) of Charlestown, Mass., b. 27 Oct. 1699, Ipswich, Mass.; d. 11 Oct. 1735; m. 19 July 1723, Boston, Mass., by Rev. Simon Bradstreet, Sarah Foster, b. 16 Nov. 1701; d. before 11 Oct. 1735; dau. of Richard and Parnel (Winslow) Foster, Charlestown.

Children, born at Charlestown:

36 i JOSEPH, bp. 3 May 1724.
ii SARAH, bp. 8 Jan. 1726: d. 1749, unm.
iii MARY, b. 23 June 1728; d. before 1732.
iv PETER, bp. 26 Oct. 1729; d. before 1749.
37 v MARY, bp. 23 April 1732.
vi PARNEL, bp. 7 July 1733; d. young.
38 vii PARNEL, bp. 16 Feb. 1735.
39 STEPHEN, bp. 13 Feb. 1743 (probably son of Jonathan and Mary, who are not listed in this book, and first of the line spelling the name *Califf*).

Peter was another of the physicians in the family. Sarah died early, perhaps when her second child named Parnel was born. Peter died later in the year and a guardian was appointed for the children—Joseph, Sarah, Mary, Peter, Parnel—who had all been baptized in the First Congregational Church of Charlestown.

Besides real estate, the inventory taken in 1741 mentions a "Quarto Bible," thirty-two other books, medicines and instruments, one silver tankard, silver spoons, and at Nantucket "the sloop Desire with all her sails, rigging, etc. value 208 pounds." The daughter Sarah, who died in her early twenties, divided her estate between her two sisters, Mary and Parnel, and her "friend, Thomas Stone, jr., Mariner."

Califf. It has been taken for granted that all Calefs in the United States are descendants of Robert, but an unknown Stephen and Jonathan appear in the Charlestown records. No official record has been found giving Peter (11) a son Stephen, while a Jonathan of the same period and place, Charlestown, Mass., apparently had a son Stephen (39). This Stephen's descendants are hereafter listed, throughout this work, as Califf, the spelling he himself adopted.

12 MARY (Joseph, Robert) of Haverhill, Mass. (northern part now Plaistow, N. H.), b. 12 June 1708, Ipswich, Mass.; d. 8 Oct. 1795, Haverhill; m. 18 Jan. 1734, Ipswich, Nicholas White (2nd wife), b. 4 Dec. 1698, Haverhill; d. 2 Oct. 1782, Haverhill; son of John and Lydia (Gilman) White.

Children, born at Haverhill:

i JOSEPH, b. 14 Dec. 1734; m. Sarah Noyes; 5 chn.
ii MARY, b. 16 Aug. 1736.
iii LYDIA, b. 2 July 1738; m. 9 Dec. 1762, Benjamin Hale; 8 chn.
iv WILLIAM, b. 19 March 1740; d. 27 Jan. 1775; m. 14 Aug. 1764, Mary Bagley; 3 chn.
v JOHN, b. 21 March 1742; d. 29 Oct. 1808; m. Elizabeth Kimball; 2 chn.
vi SAMUEL, b. 17 Aug. 1744; d. 10 June 1745.
vii ELIZABETH, b. 31 May 1746; m. Timothy Ayer, Haverhill; 2 chn.
viii MARTHA, b. 9 Aug. 1748; d. 11 June 1816; m. Deacon Joseph Dodge, Haverhill; no chn.
ix SAMUEL, b. 6 Nov. 1750.
x ABIGAIL, b. 14 May 1757; m. James Davis, Haverhill; 2 dau.

This Mary was the baby born six months after her father Joseph Calef's death. She received a legacy by the will of her stepfather, Capt. Thomas Choate, who seems to have treated his wife's children as his own. Her husband was descended from William White, who landed at Ipswich in 1635. He was deacon of the Haverhill church, and was called "Captain." Their stones are in the Plaistow church yard.

13 ELIZABETH (Robert, Robert), of Boston, Mass., b. 7 May 1704, Boston; d. about 1736; m. 19 Oct. 1722, Boston, Increase Getchell, bp. 26 March 1699, 1st Church, Salem, Mass.; d. Jan. 1729, Boston; son of Jeremiah and Hannah (Saith) Getchell of Marblehead, Mass.

Children:

i ELIZABETH, bp. 1723; d. probably before 1740.
ii MARGARET, bp. 25 July 1725; d. abt. 14 Jan. 1726.

Elizabeth was baptized in the New South Church by the Rev. Samuel Checkley, and married by him. Her husband was a "gentleman" and a schoolmaster, but hardly a Puritan. The Getchells had an independent strain that in 1685 had landed one uncle, Joseph, in the pillory, with tongue pierced by a hot iron, and then in prison till the charges of his trial should be paid. He had, at his brother Jeremiah's house, in a "discourse on General Salvation" set forth heretical doctrines in no measured terms and followed this later by "several blasphemous speeches." Increase, however, wandered only as far as the Church of England. He was one of the founders of Christ Church, the Old North, and one of the original pew holders.

14 ANN (Robert, Robert) of Boston, Mass., b. 7 July 1708; d. before 1740; m. 11 Jan. 1725, Boston, Thomas Green, son of John and Bethiah (Messenger) Green of Boston; d. before 1752.

Children, born in Boston:

i THOMAS, b. 19 Oct. 1725.
ii MARGARET, b. 3 May 1727; d. England after 1800; m. 30 May 1750 Richard Draper; no chn.
iii ANN, b. 27 Feb. 1728.
iv BETHIAH, b. 4 July 1730.
v ROBERT, b. 25 Mar. 1734; d. before 1740.
vi JOHN, b. 7 May 1735; m. Lydia Draper 4 Sept. 1755.
vii MARY, b. 6 Nov. 1736.
viii REBECCA, b. abt. 1738.

Ann Calef Green received from her father Robert's estate "82 pounds and 21 ounces of Plate in money," and from her mother, Margaret Barton Calef, a family treasure, a silver porringer. In Margaret's will, made after her daughter Ann's death, she directs that this porringer, which Ann's husband "then had in his hands," be given to Ann's daughter Margaret, also a gold necklace.

This granddaughter, Margaret Green, inherited sound business ability. She married Richard Draper, one of

Boston's early printers; carried on his business during his long illness, and when he died in 1774 continued to publish his loyalist newspaper, the *Massachusetts Gazette and Boston Weekly News-Letter.*

Trumbull, in "McFingal," writes of the royalist advisers of the time:

> "Fill every leaf of copy paper
> Of Mills and Hicks and Mother Draper."

When the British troops evacuated Boston she went with them, taking her press along. For a short time she published the paper in Halifax, but soon went to England where she was pensioned by the English government. She died there after 1800.

15 MARGARET (Robert, Robert) of Boston, Mass., New London, Conn., South Bridgewater, Mass.; b. 4 Oct. 1709, Boston; d. 16 Jan. 1802; m. 7 Nov. 1727, Boston, Jasper Starr, b. 21 May 1710, New London; d. June 1792, South Bridgewater; son of Benjamin and Lydia (Latham) Starr.

Child, born at Boston:

i JASPER, bp. 31 Oct. 1731.

Children, born at New London:

ii, iii } Twins, d. 1731.

iv ROBERT, b. 3 Aug. 1735.

v MARY, b. 6 Nov. 1737; d. May 1805; m. Moses Pierce; no chn.

vi BENJAMIN, b. 3 June 1739; d. 26 Oct. 1779.

vii JAMES, b. 2 May 1740; d. 12 Oct. 1824; m. Mary Winter.

Jasper Starr is called a goldsmith and a mariner. Whether he ever hammered gold or not may be questioned, but he was a sailor from his youth up. In 1745 he was master of the colony sloop "Defense" in the expedition against Cape Breton. The family lived several years in New London, then in Boston, and when he retired they exchanged their Boston home for a place in South Bridge-

water. His headstone stands in the Scotland Graveyard there.

Tradition says that the eldest son Jasper followed the sea. Of Robert and Benjamin no records are found. James Starr was at eighteen a soldier. He was with the Connecticut troops in 1758, in several engagements of the French and Indian War, and at Montreal when it was surrendered to the British. A cooper by trade, he settled on the family property at East Bridgewater, but not for long. He joined the Sons of Liberty and with two cousins of Calef blood took part in the Boston Tea Party. With his cooper's adze he cut open the tea chests as they were passed up to the deck. He went into the navy in the Revolution, was taken prisoner and carried to Halifax. After eleven months the prisoners were put on a transport to New York. Suspecting that the destination was the Jersey Prison Ship, they rose against the officers, seized command of the ship, and sailed into Marblehead. The last of his life was spent in Jay, Maine. He inherited the portrait of Margaret Barton Calef (3), his grandmother, which later went to James Starr's granddaughter, Mrs. Daniel Reade of Auburn, Maine.

16 JOHN (John, Robert) of Sherborne, Nantucket, and Newbury, Mass.; b. 3 June 1703, Newbury; d. 25 Dec. 1755, Newbury; m. 31 Oct. 1739, Amesbury, Mass., Naomi Eliot, b. 13 May 1709; d. 6 Feb. 1754, Newbury; dau. of John and Naomi (Tuxbury) Eliot, Amesbury.

Children, born at Newbury, Second Parish:

i Child, d. 19 July 1740.

40 ii JOHN, b. 13 June 1741.

iii MOLLY, bp. 20 May 1744; d. 5 Dec. 1746.

iv SARAH, b. 24 Dec. 1747; m. int. 20 March 1764 to Henry Tuxbury, of Amesbury.

"Master John" was a school teacher, who, in the phraseology of the day "sustained the character of a faithful instructor of children and youth." He was one of our early poets, publishing at about nineteen three elegies which were more severely treated in the *New England Courant* than they were worth. His elegy on the Rev-

erend Daniel Holbrook of Newbury, though far from poetry, shows the estimation in which funeral sermons were held at the time.

On Sabbath Day he went his way
As he was used to do
God's house unto, that they might know
What he had for to show.
When he came there
He went to prayer
But very faint he spoke,
His mortal wound inclosed around
And gave a fatal stroke.
His hat he took, his head he shook,
A mournful sigh he gave,
A shepheard true the flock went through
Not daunted to the grave.
He often said, when that he laid
His dying bed upon
Distracted he should surely be
Before his breath was gone
God's holy will he must fulfill
But it was his desire
For to declare the sermon rare
Concerning Madam Fryer.

Following some of his kin to Nantucket, John took to the sea and by "unavoidable disaster" somewhere between 1726 and 1739 he was away seven years, during one of which he was a prisoner in France.

He went back to Newbury, probably on his return from abroad, married in nearby Amesbury and became a teacher. He and Naomi Eliot left two children orphaned at fourteen and eight years, and a neighbor, John Bailey, is made their guardian on the request of the boy, who signs his name "John Calfe" in a firm clear hand.

Though the poet gave up authorship, it is noteworthy that his son John, whose teacher he was, became himself a teacher of literature, not a common interest at the time.

17 William (John, Robert) of Newbury, Mass., Kingston, N. H.; b. 17 July 1706, Newbury; d. 5 March 1784; m. (1) 5 Nov. 1728, Newbury, Sarah Cheney, b. 25 Jan. 1709, Newbury; d. ——; dau. of Daniel and

Hannah (Dustin) Cheney; (2) Nov. 1736, Lois Sawyer, b. 21 July 1718; d. 1799; dau. of Sergt. John and Sarah (Wells) (Sibley) Sawyer of Newbury.

Children by wife Sarah, born at Newbury:

i SARAH, b. 19 Aug. 1729; d. before 1749.
41 ii JOHN, b. 14 June 1731.
42 iii HANNAH, b. 26 March 1733.

Children by wife Lois, born at Newbury:

43 iv WILLIAM, b. 26 Oct. 1737.

Born at Kingston:

v LOIS, b. 4 Jan. 1739; m. Judge John Calef (40).
vi SAMUEL, b. 7 Feb. 1741.
44 vii JOSEPH, b. 12 Dec. 1742.
45 viii LYDIA (HESTER), b. 30 July 1745.
ix SARAH, b. 15 Sept. 1749; m. Col. James Calef (48).
x MARY, b. 20 April 1752; d. 15 Nov. 1756.
xi HANNAH, b. 29 Sept. 1754; d. 25 March 1757.
46 xii MARY, b. 22 Sept. 1758.
47 xiii DOROTHY (DOLLY), b. 20 June 1762.

At eleven William was apprenticed to a cordwainer of Newbury, John Huse. At twenty-three he made his first investment in land,—a house and lot and a blacksmith shop on Bedford Road Way. He and Lois belonged to the Second Church, West Newbury.

He moved to Kingston where he became a prosperous farmer and large land owner. It is said that he built the first "stack of chimneys" and two-story house in Kingston. The homestead in the inventory of his estate is described as on the south side of the road from Kingston Meeting-house to Chester. He was one of the fifty-seven original proprietors of Stevenstown (Salisbury) a township six miles square. He gave a farm to each child on marriage and in his will he left legacies of land in Rock Rimmon and Candia, as well as in Salisbury, Hillsborough and Kingston.

He was selectman and constable in Kingston, surveyor for the town, moderator of proprietors' meetings, and deacon of the church. Sarah Cheney Calef was the granddaughter of Hannah Dustin, heroine of the Indian raid on Haverhill, Massachusetts. Captured by the Indians

with her week old baby, soon killed, and her nurse, she managed to kill their ten sleeping Indian guards and, with the help of a captive boy, scuttle all but one of the canoes. The three then made their way back down the Merrimac from the site of the present Concord, N. H.

18 MARY (John, Robert) of Chester, N. H.; b. 4 Feb. 1708, Newbury, Mass.; d. before 11 March 1748; m. 13 Sept. 1727, Nathan Etheridge.

Children:

i NATHANIEL, b. abt. 1729; m. ——; lived in Raymond (Chester).

ii DEBORAH, b. abt. 1730; m. 12 Sept. 1750, Joshua Hall; 11 chn.

iii MARY, b. abt. 1732; m. Robert Ambrose, Concord, N. H.; 9 chn.

19 JAMES (John, Robert) of Newbury, Mass., Chester, N. H., Haverhill, Mass.; b. 31 Jan. 1710, Newbury; d. probably 1757, Fort William Henry; m. 2 Jan. 1735, by Rev. Moses Hall, Abigail Jewett, b. 18 May 1714, Rowley, Mass.; d. after 1776, probably Dover, N. H.; dau. of Daniel and Elizabeth (Hopkinson) Jewett.

Children:

i ELIZABETH, bp. 31 Aug. 1735, Byfield Church; m. John Smith of Boston; no chn.

ii SAMUEL, b. 3 Oct. 1736; d. probably 1757.

iii JOHN, b. 1739; d. before 1808; m. Sally Hanson, Epping.

48 iv JAMES, b. abt. 1742.

v ABIGAIL, bp. abt. 1747; m. Daniel Webber; no chn. known.

49 vi MARY, b. 1 Jan. 1752.

50 vii DANIEL, bp. 4 March 1754.

James was another of the Calef cloth makers. He began his trade at Newbury, carried it to Chester, where he had a two-story house near the school in Auburn Village. The family moved to Haverhill, Mass., First Parish, where they had connections. There he and his eldest son, Samuel, were enrolled in the First Foot Company of Haverhill and were drafted under Lt. Col James Osgood

to reinforce the garrison of Fort William Henry, then threatened by the French and Indians under Montcalm.

In the massacre that followed the surrender of the fort in 1757 both James and Samuel were lost. In 1758 Abigail made application to the government for her husband and son, hoping they might be among the men still held prisoners, but they were never found.

Evidently hope was long dying, for it was not till 1774 that she was granted permission to settle her husband's estate and an allowance given her for expenses incurred in bringing up the children under seven.

Widow Abigail was warned out of Boston 27th of February, 1764. "She is to be conveyed by constable to the town of Haverhill." One guesses that she had some Quaker beliefs or other theological opinions unwelcome to the majority, since the daughter of a Jewell and a Hopkinson, her father a deacon in the Byfield Church, Newbury, she can hardly have fallen under censure for ill conduct.

James's second son, John, went as a private under Capt. Richard Saltonstall in 1757 on the Crown Point expedition. He was a yeoman and inn-holder at Kingston. His widow married Joseph Lovering of Exeter.

20 King (John, Robert) of Manchester, Haverhill and Newbury, Mass., and Chester, N. H.; b. 5 Nov. 1711, Newbury; d. ——; m. 21 Feb. 1733, Manchester, Eunice Allen, b. 2 July 1710, Rochester, N. H.; d. ——; dau. of John and Alice (Bennett) Allen of Beverly, Mass.

Children:

i Allen, b. 1735 (?), Manchester, Mass.; living in 1798 at Northport, Me.

51 ii Martha, b. btw. 1738-45.

52 iii John, bp. 29 Dec. 1754, Boston.

iv Joseph, b. 1754, Marblehead, Mass.; d. 22 Sept. 1839, Warren, Me., "aged 85"; no chn.

King, named for his mother's family, was a cordwainer. Soon after his marriage he moved with his parents to Chester, N. H., where he was living in 1741. There he built a two-story house, on land eventually the home of

Benjamin Chase, the historian of Chester. King may, later, have taken his family back to Massachusetts, settling near his wife's people. Eunice Allen's grandfather bore the resounding name of Onesiphorus, which should help to trace this elusive family. The records are scant, but so far as they can be gathered or guessed, there were four children. The son Allen was living in Northport in 1798, a farmer presumably, owning 150 acres. Records gathered by descendants of Martha Calef Ring seem to substantiate her connection. Joseph married in Newfoundland, settled in Warren Village, where he and his wife died both within a week, of an epidemic. Of John, the records are scantiest of all, but by reason of dates and similarity of names in the children, it seems fair to suppose that he is the John known to have lived in Castine, Maine, and to have married Mary Prince Allen.

21 ROBERT (John, Robert) of Chester, N. H.; b. 7 May 1715, Newbury, Mass.; d. 1788, Chester; m. (1) 12 Oct. 1738, Haverhill, Mass., Elizabeth Bradley; (2) 8 June 1748, South Hampton, N. H., by Rev. M. Parsons, Hannah (French) Flanders, widow of John Flanders; (3) 16 Oct. 1755, Haverhill, Ann (Clement) Whitaker; (4) Mary (Folsom) Bradley, b. 1719; d. 10 Aug. 1817, Concord, N. H.; dau. of John and Mary (Sewall) Folsom, Exeter, N. H.

Children by wife Hannah:

53 i SARAH, b. 12 June 1749.

ii JOHN, b. 28 Oct. 1752; d. 14 July 1754.

Robert carried on his father's fulling-mill at Chester, N. H., and built a saw-mill nearby. He was sued for the flooding of a meadow near his dam, but won the suit. The next owner of the meadow believed in direct action, and gathered a group of men who cut the dam. Robert prosecuted him for riot, and as the best way out he gave up the fight and sold the land to Joseph Blanchard, husband of Robert's daughter Sarah. The dam was not rebuilt, but the mill was moved and Robert with his son-in-law continued the business. It is said that there was no other fulling-mill short of Canada, and cloth was brought two hundred miles to be fulled at Chester.

Robert was Sergeant in Capt. Edward Williams' company in the Louisburg expedition of 1745. In 1775 he was a member of the committee of safety and was a deputy to the meeting at Exeter for choosing a delegate to the Congress at "Philidelfia," in May of that year. In 1776 his name is among those signing the "Associates Test" which ends with the words: "We the subscribers do hereby solemnly engage and promise that we will, to the utmost of our power, at the Risque of our Lives and Fortunes, with ARMS oppose the hostile Proceedings of the British fleets and Armies against the United American Colonies."

Mary Folsom Bradley, his fourth wife, was the widow of Samuel Bradley who was killed by the Indians in 1746, when taking flour from Concord, N. H., to the grist mill at Hopkinton. A monument near Concord marks the spot. She was a woman of great energy and superior education, brought up in the home of Lieutenant Governor Gilman.

22 JOSEPH (John, Robert) of Auburn, South Candia, Chester, N. H., Amesbury, Mass.; b. 31 Oct. 1718, Newbury, Mass.; d. 21 Dec. 1793, Auburn, N. H.; m. 30 Sept. 1746, Amesbury, by Rev. Mr. Wingate, Elizabeth Jewell of Amesbury.

Children, born at Chester:

54 i ELIZABETH, b. 21 Sept. 1747.
ii ABIGAIL, b. 8 May 1749; d. 1755.
iii JOSEPH, b. 12 Oct. 1750; d. 1755.
iv HANNAH, b. 25 Sept. 1752; d. 1755.
v SARAH, b. 5 Nov. 1754; d. 1755.
vi Child, b. 1755; d. 1755.
55 vii JONATHAN, b. 8 May 1762.
56 viii JOSEPH, b. 1765.
57 ix DAVID, b. 27 April 1767.

In the spring of 1746 Joseph was one of Captain Goffe's company scouting the woods to guard the settlers against the Indians.

Joseph's house was just northwest of the road from Bunker Hill to Candia and was still standing in 1869, probably the oldest house in Auburn.

Five little children of this family died in 1755 of a throat distemper so virulent that "on one or more occasions while they were gone to the grave with one child another had died." Terrorstricken for the remaining child, Elizabeth, they fled to the mother's old home, Amesbury, only to be warned out by a community naturally fearful of contagion. By some arrangement, however, they must have stayed on, since Joseph is "of Amesbury" in 1756, then again "of Chester" the following year.

He apparently joined the army at Charlestown when the "Lexington alarm" came to Chester, and Elizabeth, his wife, buried her pewter lest the British run it into bullets.

23 Daniel (John, Robert) of Newbury and Newburyport, Mass., Chester, N. H.; b. 10 Jan. 1720, Newbury; d. 17 May 1796; m. 6 March 1743, by Rev. Ebenezer Flagg, Mary Gile, b. ——; d. 17 Aug. 1745, Chester; dau. of Joseph and Mary (Heath) Gile.

Child:

58 i Moses, b. 6 March 1745.

Daniel was a maker of leather "britches" and a trader. He was a land owner in Chester. In June 1744 he sailed on the privateer brigantine "Hawk," commander Samuel Waterhouse, and was probably at Louisburg with his brother Joseph. He was one of a prize crew, captured in July.

In 1755 his shop was in Boston. In 1758 he was there suing John Coverly, goldsmith, for some seven pounds on a bill for "Deer leather Britches, Black Bricks, Winegar and Snufe." He went to Newburyport probably early in the 60's, for it is said he was warned out in 1764. Whatever the difficulty, politics perhaps, for feeling ran high in those days, it seems to have been smoothed out, for he spent the rest of his life there, and, in his later years, carried on his shop in part of his son Moses' dwelling.

24 Jeremiah (Jeremiah, Robert) of Exeter, N. H.; b. abt. 1710, Portsmouth, N. H.; d. probably 1757, Fort William Henry; m. Lydia Robinson, b. 1715; d. 31 May 1795; dau. of Jonathan Robinson of Brentwood, N. H.

Children:

i JONATHAN, b. 3 Nov. 1738; d. 28 Aug. 1744.
ii LUCY, b. 8 May 1741; d. 21 July 1743.
iii LYDIA, b. 22 May 1746; d. 9 Dec. 1812; m. John Robinson (Robertson).
iv LUCY, b. 21 Jan. 1748-9; d. 6 Nov. 1755.
v MARY, bp. 23 Jan. 1753; m. Jeremiah Calef (62).

Sergeant Jeremiah was a "joyner" by trade. He was at Fort William Henry on the surrender, August 9, 1757, and like his cousin James Calef and James' son Samuel, was never again heard of. This is doubtless the reason for the phrase in his father's will, dated 1762, leaving a legacy provisionally to "his son Jeremiah, then abroad . . . but if he should not return to this country," the goods go to the daughters, Mary and Lydia.

25 DANIEL (Jeremiah, Robert) of Boston and Newburyport, Mass.; b. abt. 1713; d. June/July 1770; m. 24 Dec. 1747, Boston, Margaret Boage (Bodge) of Portsmouth, N. H.

Children:

i ELIZABETH, b. 1748.
59 ii DANIEL, bp. 27 Aug. 1749.
iii ABIGAIL, bp. 9 Feb. 1752.
iv JOHN, bp. 29 Dec. 1754; "Ropemaker."
v SAMUEL, bp. 15 May 1757.
vi LUCY, bp. 9 Sept. 1759; d. Jan. 1773.
vii JEREMIAH, bp. 17 Jan. 1762; "Tobacconist."
viii JAMES, bp. 26 May 1765; "Blockmaker."

Daniel and Margaret were married in the New South Church, Boston, where we also find records of all their children's baptisms excepting Elizabeth's.

Other records of this family are incomplete. Daniel was in Gilmanton for a short time with his father and brother James in 1738. He is mentioned in his father's will in 1762. Apparently he was a blacksmith and importer of rum in Boston, dying in 1770, for in July of that year Margaret Calef, widow of Daniel Calef, petitions to continue the sale of liquor at her house in Sea Street, she being "so impaired in health as to be incapable of doing much laborious work" by reason of her husband's

long illness, and having four small children to provide for. She promises to "manage with caution as in Duty bound." The petition is signed by twenty-eight citizens, John Adams and John Cotton among them, and as a "person of sober life and conversation," her petition was allowed.

No further records of the children, save of the eldest son, Daniel, and the date of Lucy's death have been found. John, the "Rope-maker," may be the John who married Tomasina Nevins (1756-1829) in Portsmouth, N. H., November 13, 1776. They had a son Thomas and a daughter Sarah. John, by his dates, might be one of the several candidates for the honors of that sailor John, who escaped from Mill Prison, Plymouth, England in 1777; was in command of the schooner "Hawk" in 1779, and of the brig "Massachusetts" in 1780. He might be the Captain John who lived in St. Kitts, West Indies, who sent contributions to the Massachusetts Humane Society from 1788 to 1810. The daughter Abigail might be the "Sarah (Abigail)" who in the Newburyport vital statistics is given as marrying Daniel Webber, August 18, 1776, rather than the Abigail, daughter of James (19). Newburyport statistics also mention a Samuel Calef, Jr., who was "lost with Francis Trask at sea," January, 1805, and had a daughter, Polly. He may well be one of the two Samuel Calefs of Boston, privates, in 1775. The other was doubtless Samuel, son of Joseph Calef (28 ii).

26 JAMES (Jeremiah, Robert) of Exeter and Gilmanton, N. H.; b. abt. 1720, Portsmouth; d. 16 Nov. 1801; m. (1) Ruth Smith, b. ——; d. before 5 July 1759; dau. of Oliver and Rachel Smith. (2) before 3 Jan. 1778, Mehitable ——.

Children by wife Ruth:

60 i OLIVER, b. abt. 1749.

61 ii ELIZABETH, bp. 6 Aug. 1749.

62 iii } JEREMIAH, b. 19 Jan., 1751; m. Molly Calef (24v)
iv } JAMES, b. 19 Jan. 1751; probably d. young.

63 v RUTH, b. Aug. 1752.

vi LUCY, bp. 31 Oct. 1756; m. 13 March 1781, M. Hopkinson, Exeter.

James is called "a joyner," "a husbandman," "a yeoman." It is said that his second wife was his first wife's widowed sister, Mehitable Smith Lyford.

27 JOHN (Robert, Joseph, Robert) of Ipswich, Mass., Castine, Me., St. Andrews, N. B.; b. 30 Aug. 1726, Ipswich; d. 23 Oct. 1812, St. Andrews; m. (1) 10 Dec. 1747, Ipswich, Margaret Rogers, bp. 14 Dec. 1729; d. 27 March 1750; dau. of Rev. Nathaniel and Mary (Leverett) Rogers of Ipswich; (2) 18 Jan. 1753, Rowley, Mass., Dorothy Jewett, b. 2 May 1736; d. 27 Aug. 1809, St. Andrews; dau. of Rev. Jedediah and Elizabeth (Dummer) Jewett of Rowley.

Children by wife Margaret:

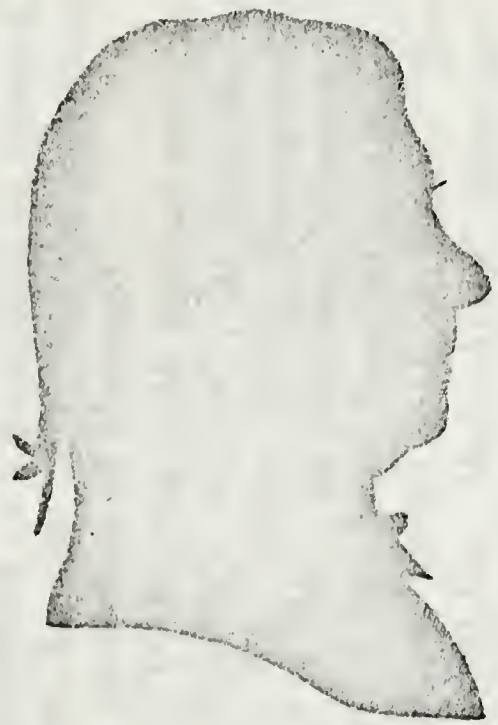
64 i MARGARET, b. 15 Oct. 1748.
65 ii MARY, b. 20 March 1750.

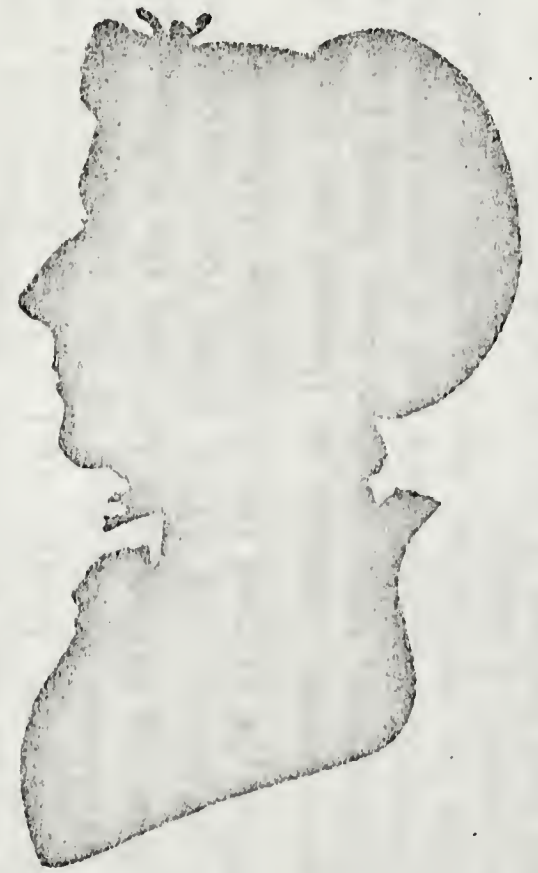
Children by wife Dorothy:

iii JOHN, b. 2 Nov. 1753; d. 19 Feb. 1782, drowned at Ipswich.
iv JEDEDIAH, b. 22 Sept. 1755; d. 10 March 1778.
v ELIZABETH, b. 24 Oct. 1757; d. 7 Sept. 1771.
vi Daughter, b. 16 May 1759; d. same day.
vii ROBERT, b. 16 Nov. 1760; d. 13 April 1801, Norfolk, Va.; unm.
viii DOROTHY, b. 16 Nov. 1762; d. 29 March 1805; unm.
ix SARAH, b. 27 June 1764; d. 25 March 1854; St. Andrews; unm.
x SUSANNA, b. 7 Feb 1766; d. 11 May 1808; unm.
66 xi MEHITABLE, b. 13 Sept. 1767.
xii MARTHA, b. 22 May 1770; d. 23 Sept. 1771.
xiii SAMUEL, b. 26 July 1772; d. 1812 at sea.
xiv Daughter, b. 12 April 1775.
xv Daughter, b. 22 Aug. 1776.
67 xvi JEDEDIAH JEWETT, b. 22 June 1778.

Dr. John was one of the many loyalists who were forced to leave the country during the Revolution.

Left an orphan at eight, he was brought up by his grandmother, Mary Ayer Calef. His guardian, an uncle, John Staniford, was after a year removed at her request and some eighteen years later John recovered from his uncle's widow property to the amount of more than a hundred





MR. AND MRS. JOHN CALEF
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pounds. In the list are mentioned "a negro man named Fortune"; a negro boy, Titus, aged nine; another named Minster, aged six; a "scrutoir"; a horse and chaise; a watch; silver and furniture; five books, one a copy of Willard's "Body of Divinity," perhaps the one for which his uncle Joseph (9) had subscribed.

He was said to have received a superior education and it is known that for a year he was in the Boston Latin School under the famous teacher Master John Lovell. At twenty-one he was settled as a physician in Ipswich.

Margaret Rogers, his first wife, was the granddaughter of John Leverett, president of Harvard.

From 1754 to 1760 he was with various commands in "His Britannic Majesty's service"; as surgeon on the Western Front in '54; under Major Thompson in the "Old French War" in '56. In that year he was at Crown Point and in charge of the Army hospital at Albany, later, on account of smallpox, moved to Half Moon. Here the sick and wounded from the "Main Army" were sent. In 1759 he was on an expedition to Crown Point, and at Louisburg in 1760. The fleet of transports with which he sailed in September was blown off the coast to the West Indies and did not reach Boston till the following March.

During this time also, he was engaged in foreign commerce, being part owner of the schooner "Speed-well" sailing to Bilboa.

From 1755 on he was frequently Representative from Ipswich to the General Court, and a long document sets forth for his guidance the wishes of the town in connection with the growing differences between the colonies and the Home Government. In 1774, some vote having been called in question, he signed the following statement:

"Inasmuch as a great Number of Persons are about the House of the Subscriber, who say they have heard I am an enemy to my Country, etc., and have sent a large Committee to me to examine me respecting my principles, In compliance with their request I declare,

"First, I hope and believe I fear God, honour the King, and love my Country.

Secondly, I believe the Constitution of civil Government held forth in the Charter of Massachusetts Bay Province to

be the best in the whole World, and that the Rights and Privileges thereof ought to be highly esteemed, greatly valued, and seriously contended for, and that the late Acts of Parliament made against this province are unconstitutional and unjust and that I will use all lawful Means to get the same recovered; and that I never have and never will act by a Commission under the new Constitution of Government, and if I have ever said or done anything to enforce said Act I am heartily sorry for it; and as I gave my vote in the General Assembly on the 30th of June, 1768, contrary to the Minds of the People, I beg their Forgiveness and that the good people of the Province would restore me to their Esteem and Friendship again."

This vote was the occasion of the cartoon by Paul Revere picturing the seven who had voted retraction of a petition to the King. Calef is drawn with a calf's head.

He was for years Justice of the Peace for Essex County and one of His Majesty's justices of the Court of General Sessions, 1772-1775.

In 1772 he went to England representing certain "planters and settlers," and returned in 1774 in his cousin Capt. Robert Calef's vessel, the "London Packet." With him came a Captain Lee to take command of the "Lord Dartmouth," a vessel of 300 tons that Dr. John had had built at Danvers for the London firm, Calef and Chuter. It was designed for the East India trade, but ships of British owners were by this time under suspicion. Dr. John's petition for clearing papers that Captain Lee might sail it to London, made to the Provincial Congress in 1775 and later to the Massachusetts Legislature, were alike refused. The vessel was seized, and lay for years rotting where it had grounded, a total loss to its owners.

In 1777 Dr. John gave up his property in Ipswich, selling to John Heard his house, homestead, barn, pasture on north side of Heartbreak Hill, Calef wharf and warehouse, the "machine for weighing hay," and pew 24 in the Meeting House of the First Parish. The house was later moved to a site east of the South Meeting House, and was standing in 1887.

This was the beginning of sales and gifts of property in which "his wife, Dorothy Calef, gentlewoman," often figures, and which continued till 1806.

Dr. John at once joined the British troops at Fort George, Penobscot (Castine), Maine, and in 1781 went to England as agent for the inhabitants who wished that district set off from Massachusetts as a loyal province under the name of New Ireland. While in England he published his "Siege of Penobscot by the Rebels by J. C. Esq. a Volunteer," a beautifully printed little book with a fine map, a copy of which is treasured in the New York Public Library's rare books room.

At the close of the war he settled in St. Andrews, New Brunswick, there practicing his profession till his death. In his family record is this entry:

"My very dear and faithful consort died Sabath eve, the 27th Augt. 1809 in a sudden and surprising manner, we having lived together 56 years, 7 mos., and nine days."

Lord Timothy Dexter had written of her:

"Doctor Calef—wife of thine
Fruitful as a pumpkin vine."

Margaret, the eldest daughter, married Dr. Scott, a dentist and an apothecary, who had drugs for sale "at the Medicine Store at the Sign of the Leopard, near the Haymarket, South End, Boston."

The eldest son, John, went to Dummer Academy in the days of the noted Master Moody. John took to the sea, and was early a master mariner. On a return voyage from the West Indies he was drowned when his ship ran ashore at Plum Island, Ipswich. Although his father's well known loyalist principles make this a question, yet it is possible that he is the Capt. John Calef who, with the crew of the schooner "Hawk," was taken by the British and committed to Mill Prison, Plymouth, England, 10 May 1779. He escaped with John Knight, of Newbury, and in 1780 was given command of the brig "Massachusetts." That he was in command when this vessel captured a British ship with a cargo valued at $100,000, as has been said, seems unlikely, since this exploit took place before the official date of his taking command.

Robert, the fourth son, was an apothecary of Ipswich. He was a Loyalist and took charge of settling his father's and mother's affairs in Massachusetts after the Revolution.

On this business he was in London in 1797, dealing with Robert Calef and John Chuter of the Old City Chambers, Bishopgate Street. This task finished he went to Norfolk, Virginia, where his brother Samuel was a shipmaster.

Samuel followed the sea like his eldest brother, John. At twenty-three he was captain of the "Charlotte" of Norfolk, Virginia. In 1812 the ship on which he was returning from New Orleans was lost and all hands are supposed to have perished.

28 JOSEPH (Joseph, Joseph, Robert) of Milton and Boston, Mass.; b. 4 Nov. 1724, Boston; d. 31 May 1776, Milton; m. 1758, Boston, by Rev. M. Robbins, Mehitable Miller, bp. 4 May 1735; d. 30 Sept. 1790, Milton; dau. of Colonel Samuel and Rebecca (Minot) Miller of Milton.

Children, born at Milton.

68 i } JOSEPH, b. 12 Dec. 1758.
ii } SAMUEL, b. 12 Dec. 1758; d. Cape Elizabeth, Me.; unm.
69 iii EBENEZER WINTER, b. 17 Aug. 1760.
70 iv HANNAH, b. 1 March 1763.
v MEHITABLE MILLER, b. 1 Sept. 1765; d. Nov. 1844; m. Colonel Thomas Legate, Leominster, Mass.; no chn.
71 vi STEPHEN MILLER, b. 9 Sept. 1767.
vii ROBERT JORDAN, b. 9 May 1770; d. 22 March 1776.
viii REBECCA THAYER, b. 27 May 1772; m. Joseph N. Howe; no chn.
ix JOHN, b. 9 May 1776; d. 30 Aug. 1777.

Joseph was baptized in the New South Church, Boston. He was less successful as a merchant than was usual in the family, but the sale of his lands appears in time, under the management of that excellent business man, his brother Ebenezer Winter Calef, to have settled his affairs. In his estate are mentioned an Indian Bible and twenty-one other books.

The Rev. Thomas Smith of Falmouth, Maine, writes in his journal, 8 Aug. 1772: "Dr. Cooper and Mr. Bowes came to lodge with us. With them came Dr. Winthrop, [John] Hancock, Brattle, Hubbard and [Joseph] Calef."

The home in Milton was standing late in the last century. On a window glass was cut with a diamond: "Jo-

seph Calef, 1760." The homestead of forty and one-half acres had come as a gift, in 1758, from Samuel Miller Esquire and Rebecca, his wife, to their "beloved daughter Mehitable and son Joseph Calef jr. of Boston, gentleman."

The son Samuel was a private from Boston in Col. Brewer's regiment in 1775. With his twin brother, Joseph, he was on duty in 1776 in Capt. Jonah Vose's company, "guarding the shores," and was a seaman on the brigantine "Hawk" under Capt. Jonathan Oakes in 1777.

Joseph Howe, Rebecca's husband, a "rope-maker" of Boston and Milton, had by his first wife a son Samuel. This son became the head of the Perkins Institute at Boston, was a great teacher of the blind, and married Julia Ward Howe.

29 HANNAH (Joseph, Joseph, Robert) of Newburyport, Mass.; bp. 12 Dec. 1742, New South Church, Boston; d. ——; m. 3 June 1764, New South Church, Boston, Dr. Gottfried Tristian Smith, b. ——; d. before 1794.

Children:

i GODFREY, b. ——; d. March 1814, Philadelphia.
ii JOSEPH, b. ——; d. 3 May 1790, on voyage from "Carolina to Amsterdam."
iii HANNAH, b. ——; m. 1792, Charles Miller, Esq., Boston.

30 MARY (Ebenezer, Joseph, Robert) of Nantucket, Mass., and Hallowell, Maine; b. 2 March 1729, Nantucket; d. 26 July 1815, Hallowell; m. 1748 (2nd wife) Obed Hussey, b. ——; d. 16 June 1790, Hallowell; son of Silvanus and Abiel (Brown) Hussey.

Children, born at Nantucket:

i PETER, b. 16 Jan. 1749; d. 1 Jan. 1774.
ii JAMES, b. 18 Sept. 1751; d. 30 May 1753.
iii PEGGY, b. 22 May 1753; d. 17 Aug. 1754.
iv JAMES, b. 18 Jan. 1755; d. 13 Feb. 1757.
v SAMUEL, b. 18 Oct. 1756; d. 24 April 1801.
vi TIMOTHY, b. 18 May 1758; d. 20 March 1760.
vii Child, stillborn 17 Dec. 1759.
viii POLLY, b. 28 Nov. 1760; d. 11 July 1787.
ix BETSY, b. 9 Oct. 1762; d. 9 Feb. 1792.

x ELSE, b. 18 May 1764; d. 20 June 1766.
xi NANCY, b. 22 Aug. 1767; m. Philip Norcross.
xii SALLY, b. Jan. 1774; m. Gershon Cocks.

Obed's first wife was Margaret Coffin, who had eight children. (See Hallowell, Me., records.)

Mary's birth date has also been given as 7 July 1728.

31 PETER (Ebenezer, Joseph, Robert) of Nantucket, Mass.; bp. 26 Sept. 1731, Nantucket; d. probably before 1776; m. 16 Aug. 1744, Nantucket, Abigail Woodbury, b. ——; d. ——; dau. of Nathaniel Woodbury. Widow Abigail Calef m. (2) John Starbuck, (3) Dr. Benjamin Tupper.

Child:

i PETER, bp. 16 Aug. 1747, Nantucket.

Peter's birth date has been given as 6 Aug. 1745, which may mean that a child Peter died and another child was named for him.

32 ROBERT (Ebenezer, Joseph, Robert) of Nantucket, Mass.; Homerton, Eng.; Dedham and Weston, Mass.; bp. 26 Sept. 1731, Nantucket; d. 25 Jan. 1814, Weston; m. 29 July 1758, Nantucket, Sally Coffin, b. 1 Aug. 1738; d. 28 Nov. 1834, Weston; dau. of Major Josiah and Elizabeth (Coffin) Coffin.

Children:

i JOHN (?)
ii ELIZABETH, bp. 3 June 1764; m. Charles Yarnall.
iii SARAH, bp. 19 Aug. 1764; m. John Chester (John Chuter (?) of London).
iv ROBERT, bp. 25 June 1769.
v JAMES, bp. 11 Aug. 1771.

An importer and sea captain, Robert's name appears in the advertisements of Boston papers from 1756 till the Revolution. He is bringing tea, etc., for Barnabas Clarke, Boston merchant; goods from London for Nathan Frazier, Andover. The "Volunteer" arrives and sails. The "London Packet" brings and takes passengers. Among these is the "Rev. Samson Occum, a Mohegan Indian," and "Phyllis Wheatly, the ingenius Negro Poet."

The "London Packet," "bound for London," is owned by Robert Calef and John Chuter of the Old City Chambers, Bishopsgate Street, merchants there till 1797 or later. Captain Robert, after Boston was closed by the Port Bill, managed to sail the "Packet" in November, 1774, from Salem, and bring her safely to London.

It was in 1793 that Captain Robert, in a power of attorney dated Homerton, County of Middlesex, England, describes himself as a broker. He appoints "Sarah Calef, my wife, at present of Homerton, but about to depart for America, my true and lawful attorney."

Sarah's errand in America was evidently to sell the real estate of "Robert Calef, formerly of Sherborn (Nantucket), Commonwealth of Massachusetts, but now a resident of Old England, in the City of London, trader."

In 1797 he had come back and was "of Dedham, Mass." He bought eighty acres in Weston with a dwelling-house, where, according to a newspaper clipping, he and Sally lived, at the north end of town, in "almost baronial state and magnificence."

He made many other purchases of land, perhaps unwisely, for when past eighty, the year before his death, he mortgaged the fine Weston property. His wife, in 1815, sold the pew in the Meeting House, and when she died, twenty years later, her estate amounted to but $325, personal property. A kinswoman named Woodbury was chief creditor and sole heir.

It would seem that there were no children living when the Captain died, and indeed as to children there is little definite to go on. Save one, John, the list here printed is from the records of the New South Church, Boston, children of "Robert and Sarah Calef." Since the Captain's ships docked at Boston, his family may have lived there quite as much as in Nantucket, but they kept their connections with their Nantucket kindred. Mrs. Dr. Edward Holyoke wrote from the Island, June 5, 1775: "Dined with Mrs. Fitch in Company with Captain [Robert] Calef, lady and two daughters." The name of the daughter Elizabeth's husband's family is often found in Nantucket records of that time. The Yarnalls were a Philadelphia Quaker family of note, and there was much

business between the sea-faring folk of the two places. While one is guessing, since there is no trace of the other daughter's husband, John Chester, one is tempted to make the Chester into Chuter. Her parents were in England while she was a young lady, and doubtless intimate with those business and family friends, Calef and Chuter of the Old City Chambers.

It is said there was in Nantucket a legend that the Captain left a son John. If there was a son John, he might have been the Captain John of St. Christophers, West Indies, mentioned under Daniel (25). That he was the John of Revolutionary exploits seems less likely by reason of his probable age and because one guesses that Captain Robert with his close London connections and living in England for some time after the Revolution was, like his cousin, Dr. John Calef, loyalist in sympathy.

Birth date of Robert has been given as 5 Dec. 1731.

33 Ebenezer (Ebenezer, Joseph, Robert) of Nantucket, Mass.; bp. 22 July 1739, Nantucket; d. 18 Oct. 1807; m. Elizabeth Coffin, b. ——; d. 12 Jan. 1809; dau. of Enoch and Love Coffin.

Children:

i Elizabeth, b. 18 Feb. 1792; d. unm.
ii Love, b. 11 Dec. 1794; d. unm.
iii Uriah, b. 11 Jan. 1797; d. unm.
iv John, b. 8 March 1799; d. 10 June 1819 at sea.

Ebenezer was a joiner and had large properties in Nantucket, where he bought the lands of his brother, Captain Robert. Ebenezer's estate at his death was worth the considerable sum, for the time and place, of $11,675. He was executor of his father's and his mother's estates. To him his mother left her clock and silver tankard. His earmark is recorded as a "fork in the Right Ear and a Half-penny atop the same."

The two daughters "taught a good school in Nantucket." Later they lived for a time in Baltimore. The son John died at sea. Uriah went to Savannah. None married.

Birth date of Ebenezer has been given as 5 Nov. 1732.

34 Elizabeth (Ebenezer, Joseph, Robert) of Nantucket, Mass.; bp. 22 July 1739; d. 19 Oct. 1828; m. (1)

William Brock, Esq., b. 25 Feb. 1735, Nantucket; d. 4 Dec. 1781; son of Thomas and Patience (Gardner) Brock; (2) Josiah Coffin, Jr. (3rd wife), b. 28 Aug. 1728; d. ——; son of Major Josiah and Elizabeth (Coffin) Coffin.

Children, by husband William Brock:

i ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. Nathaniel Macy, Jr.
ii JENNET, b. ——.
iii SARAH, b. ——; m. Benjamin Ames, Jr.
iv WILLIAM, b. ——; m. Rebecca Gardner.
v THOMAS, b. ——; m. Eunice Worth.
vi MARY, b. ——; m. Thaddeus Starbuck.

Birth date of Elizabeth Calef has been given as 10 Feb. 1736.

35 MARGARET (Ebenezer, Joseph, Robert) of Nantucket, Mass.; bp. 16 Aug. 1747, Nantucket; d. 17 Oct. 1825, Nantucket; m. (1) Joseph Cook, no chn. (2) Paul Coggeshall, b. 15 March 1750; d. 21 Oct. 1823; son of John and Elizabeth Coggeshall of Rhode Island.

Children, by husband Paul Coggeshall:

i JOSEPH CALEF, b. 11 July 1776; d. 13 Oct. 1823; m. Nancy Fitzgerald, dau. of Henry Fitzgerald.
ii ROBERT, b. 1782; d. 15 Feb. 1852; m. Betsy Coffin, dau. of Elijah Coffin.
iii MAHALA, b. ——; d. 16 May 1809; m. David Coffin, son of Jonathan Coffin.

Birth date of Margaret has been given as 15 Nov. 1745.

36 JOSEPH (Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Charlestown and Medford, Mass.; bp. 3 May 1724; d. 1761; m. 15 April 1746, Medford, by Rev. Eben Turrell, Frances Thompson, b. 17 June 1726; d. 8 Sept. 1775; dau. of Joseph Thompson, Woburn, Mass.

Children:

i FRANCES, bp. 24 Jan. 1747; d. 4 Dec. 1753, Medford.
ii PETER, b. 27 Aug. 1750; d. 3 Sept. 1751.
iii JOSEPH, bp. 3 June 1754.
iv PETER, b. 27 May 1754.
v FRANCES, b. 28 Dec. 1756; m. 1 Oct. 1778, Richard Pool.

Joseph, "mariner," of Medford, appears as a lad to have gone with his uncle, Captain Charles Codman, to "Loisberg." No other voyages are suggested by the records. He had from his father's estate a half a dwelling in Charlestown and "a Silver Tankard, 22oz. in weight."

The family seems to have lived a time in Charlestown, for he is a leather-dresser there in 1748. Three years later, however, he was buying part of a dwelling in Medford, and after his death his widow, Frances, bought of Deacon Willys the "westerly chamber" in this same house "to be used by her during her natural life and by her assigns."

The son Joseph was a cooper in Medford in 1784. He may have married and been the father of the Thomas who married in Medford in 1813, Sally Stowers.

37 Mary (Peter, Joseph, Robert), bp. 23 April 1732, Charlestown, First Congregational Church; d. ——; m. 5 Jan. 1758, Waltham, Mass., Stephen White of Hollis-ton, Me. (?)

Child:

i Parnel, b. 25 Feb. 1761.

With her share of her father's estate Mary had a special legacy of a flowered satin gown, a treasure perhaps of her mother, who died when she was a little child.

38 Parnel (Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Sherburn (Nantucket), Mass.; bp. 16 Feb. 1735, Charlestown, Mass.; d. 19 Dec. 1813; m. Dr. Edward Coffin, b. 15 May 1734, Nantucket; d. ——; son of Josiah and Elizabeth (Coffin) Coffin.

Children:

i Edward, b. ——; m. Janet Clark, dau. of Reuben and Mary Clark; chn.

ii Christopher, b. 10 Dec. 1758; m. Nancy Bridges, Wayne Co., Va.; chn.

iii Sally, b. 27 Oct. 1762; m. John Morris, son of Jacob Morris.

Parnel inherited from her father, Peter, one-half of the house on the main street of Charlestown, a gold necklace and gold buttons.

39 STEPHEN (Califf) (Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Waltham and Westminster, Mass.; bp. 13 Feb. 1743, Charlestown, Mass.; d. 1814; m. (1) 22 March (May?) 1755, Waltham, Anna Stearns, b. 20 Feb. 1737; d. 19 June 1810; dau. of David and Mary Stearns, Waltham (Daniel? and Mercy? (Grant) Stearns); (2) Rebecca (How) Temple, widow of Jonathan Temple.

Children by wife Anna:

i ANNA, b. 29 May 1756; d. July 1764.
ii ABIGAIL, b. 31 Dec. 1757; d. 15 July 1764.
iii STEPHEN, b. 17 Dec. 1760; d. 2 July 1764.
iv LOIS, b. 22 Dec. 1762; d. 7 Dec. 1764.
These and perhaps four others died in an epidemic.
72 v ANNA, b. 11 Dec. 1764.
73 vi STEPHEN, b. 14 March 1767.
74 vii EZRA, b. 3 Dec. 1768.
75 viii ABIGAIL, b. 2 Aug. 1770.
ix LOIS, b. 24 Nov. 1771; d. 19 June 1818; m. Jonathan Allen.
x LOUISA, b. 3 Feb. 1773; m. 29 April 1796, Joseph Darby.
xi EUNICE, b. 7 March 1778.

This is the Stephen whose descent is discussed in the Foreword, and his line is marked throughout by the spelling used by his branch (Califf). Though possibly a son of Peter (11), his descent is more probably Stephen,[3] Jonathan,[2] Stephen,[1] from the Charlestown Stephen Calef who in 1700 was inheritor of land in Maine.

Stephen Califf was a doctor, and settled in Waltham, his wife's home. Four, some say eight, children died of scarletina within six months, and it was after this tragedy that the father and mother with their one baby moved to Narragansett, now Westminster.

He was three times with the troops, first in 1759, on the expedition against Crown Point in Capt. Thomas Cobb's company. When, in 1777, the Bennington Alarm stirred the countryside, he served as sergeant, Capt. Elisha Jackson's company, under Major Bridge. The next year he was a private in the same company, sent to "reinforce the Northern Army."

Stephen was a member of the Congregational Church,

"dismissed" from Watertown to Westminster Church, 22 April 1765.

40 JOHN (John, John, Robert) of Kingston and Hampstead, N. H.; b. 13 June 1741, Newbury, Mass.; d. 31 Oct. 1808, Hampstead; m. 23 Sept. 1762 Lois Calef, b. 4 Jan. 1739, Kingston; d. 8 Sept. 1828, Hampstead; dau. of William (17) and Lois (Sawyer) Calef, Kingston.

Children:

76 i LOIS, b. 27 June 1763.
77 ii MOLLY (Polly), b. 27 June 1765.
iii Child, b. 7 April 1767; d. same day.
iv JOHN, b. 13 June 1768; d. 8 Jan. 1769.
v JOHN, b. 29 March 1771; d. 10 Nov. 1787.
78 vi WILLIAM, b. 1 May 1773.
79 vii JOSEPH, b. 4 Dec. 1775.
80 viii SARAH, b. 6 Aug. 1778.
81 ix JAMES, b. 25 Feb. 1782.

Out of all the public services that filled the life of Judge John Calef, those chosen for record on the monument at Hampstead are, "Judge of the Court of Common Pleas" and "Deacon for thirty-five years."

He was a precocious child, knowing figures at two and a half years it was said. On the death of his father he came, at fourteen, to live with his cousin, Colonel John, in Kingston, and married Colonel John's sister Lois. At sixteen he began teaching the elements of literature and morality. At eighteen he was under-officer in an expedition to Lake Champlain against the French and Indians. He was captain of one of the five companies detailed in 1776 to guard Portsmouth Harbor, and the next year was captain of Company 4, under Colonel Pierce Long at Ticonderoga.

He was a member of the General Assembly and one of the five members of the Committee of Safety empowered to direct the State's affairs in the recess of the General Court in the Revolution. For twenty-nine years he was Justice of the Peace, for thirteen years Justice of the

Peace and Quorum for the State, and for twenty-five years Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, County of Rockingham. Clerk of the House for a quarter century, at his death the House voted that "in testimony of our respect to the memory of the Hon. John Calef, the members of this House wear crape on the left arm during the present session."

His minister, the Rev. John Kelly, in the funeral sermon, said: "The confidence reposed in him at home and abroad, as a man of truth and integrity and uprightness, is almost without parallel."

John Farmer in a biographical sketch says: "We have heard it remarked of Mr. Calef, that no man ever more sacredly regarded the will of the people than he. In all his public transactions his conduct was regulated not by the views of party men, but by what he conceived to be the wish of the whole people. The public good was his constant aim, and so acceptible and useful were his services, that men of all parties united in honoring him — men of all political distinctions regretted his departure."

41 JOHN (William, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; b. 14 June 1731, Newbury, Mass.; d. 28 May 1806, Kingston; m. 24 Dec. 1754, Kingston, Judith Challis, b. 27 June 1732; d. 5 May 1821; dau. of Joseph and Mary Challis, Amesbury, Mass.

Children, born at Kingston:

82 i JOSEPH, b. 5 May 1756.
83 ii MARY, b. 19 Jan. 1758.
84 iii HANNAH, b. 4 March 1760.
85 iv JOHN, b. 23 Sept. 1762.
v SAMUEL, b. 11 Dec. 1764; m. Martha Wiggin.
86 vi AMOS, b. 1 July 1769.
87 vii ROBERT, b. 26 Feb. 1772.

Colonel John was in 1775 captain of a company on Great Island. In 1784 he was a member of a general court marshal to sit at Exeter November 21st, for the trial of officers under arrest.

The family home was the "Huntoon Place" in Kingston, which John left for the use of his wife, Judith, and

then to his two daughters, Mary Colby and Hannah Thayer. He was by trade a cordwainer and tanner.

42 HANNAH (William, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; b. 26 March 1733, Newbury, Mass.; d. 5 Dec. 1754; m. 10 March 1751 Joseph Eastman, b.——; d. 2 Sept. 1774.

Children:

i SARAH, 14 July 1751; m. before 1780 —— Bean.
ii HANNAH, b. 14 Nov. 1754; d. before 1780.

43 WILLIAM (William, John, Robert) of Kingston and Salisbury, N. H.; b. 26 Oct. 1737, Newbury, Mass.; d. 10 June 1812, Salisbury; m. pub. 16 Nov. 1759, Kingston, Nancy (Anna) Rowell, b. Feb. 1736; d. 22 Feb. 1813; dau. of William and Elizabeth (Challis) Rowell, Newton, N. H.

Children, born at Kingston:

88 i WILLIAM, b. abt. 1761.
89 ii JONATHAN, b. 1764.
90 iii MOSES, b. abt. 1768.

Children, born at Salisbury:

iv ANNA, b. 1770; m. 11 April 1799, Samuel Adams.
91 v ELIZABETH, b. 7 July 1772.
92 vi DAVID, b. 30 Oct. 1774.
93 vii DANIEL, b. 17 Jan. 1777.

Lieutenant William was a farmer and a shoemaker. Probably he made shoes in the winter when farm work was slack. His 100-acre farm in the southeasterly part of Salisbury was very nearly a wilderness when he settled there, and stories have come down of his catching a bear by the hind leg as it made off over a fence; and a wolf by throwing his leather apron over its head. He fought in the Battle of Bennington, Capt. Ebenezer Webster's company, and was in the expedition to Rhode Island.

44 JOSEPH (William, John, Robert) of Kingston and Salisbury, N. H.; b. 12 Dec. 1742, Kingston; d. 19 May 1823, Salisbury; m. (1) 30 Oct. 1765, Kingston, Hannah Pettingill, b. 17 Aug. 1745, Plaistow, N. H.; d. 5 Dec. 1793, Salisbury; dau. of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Stick-

ney) Pettingill; (2) 7 Jan. 1796, Sarah Cushing, b. 1743; d. 10 Jan. 1832, Salisbury; no chn.

Children by wife Hannah, born at Kingston:

94 i ELIZABETH, b. 1 Oct. 1767.
95 ii NATHANIEL, b. 26 Oct. 1769.
96 iii LOIS, b. 4 Dec. 1770.
97 iv JOSEPH, b. 3 Jan. 1773.
98 v HANNAH, b. 4 Nov. 1774.
vi JUDITH, b. 3 Jan. 1777; d. Bradford, Vt.; m. Jesse Worthley.
99 vii REBECCA, b. 26 Jan. 1779.
100 viii DOROTHY, b. 24 April 1781.
ix BENJAMIN, b. 22 June 1783; d. 17 March 1784.
101 x BENJAMIN, b. 13 July 1786.

Deacon Joseph was a farmer, inheriting from his father "the home place" and about 100 acres of land. Hannah apparently was a good citizen and churchwoman, as evidenced by the following lines:

SOME SERIOUS THOUGHTS
Occasioned by the Death of the Much Respected
MRS. HANNAH CALEF, CONSORT OF MR. JOSEPH CALEF
and Sister of the Church of Christ in Salisbury,
who died December 5th, 1793, in the 46th year of her age.
By Thomas Worcester
Pastor of Said Church.
Published by the Desire of Mourning Friends.

1

The soul who loves eternal Truth,
Who loves religion here below;
Who stores her mind with knowledge good,
And by her works her faith doth show,

2

She lives by pious friends beloved,
Her holy joys exceed her pain;
She dies and leaves the world in Peace
And death to her is richest gain.

3

When once she bids a long farewell
To all which time and sense afford;
By Angels she's conducted home,
To reign in glory with her Lord.

The last thirteen, being much the same, are omitted.

45 LYDIA (Hester) (William, John, Robert) of North Boscawen and Salisbury, N. H.; b. 30 July 1745, Kingston, N. H.; d. after 1780; m. Elder Michael Sargent, b. ——; d. after 1780.

Children:

i LOIS, m. Richard (?) Currier; settled in Plainfield, N. H.; chn.
ii POLLY, m. Reuben True; settled in Salisbury.
iii SALLY, unm.
iv DOLLY, unm.
v JOHN, went West.
vi JOSEPH, m. went West; c.

46 MARY (William, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; b. 22 Sept. 1758; d. ——; m. 19 Oct. 1779, Charles Chase, b. 1755; d. 1842; son of Thomas and Mary (Dow) Chase.

Children, born at Kingston:

i CHARLES, b. 26 Jan. 1783; m. dau. of General Dearborn; no chn.
ii SARAH, b. 8 July 1785; m. 1 Jan. 1807, Aaron Patten, Kingston; no chn.
iii MIRIAM, b. 22 July 1787; unm.
iv MARY, b. 21 March 1790.
v WILLIAM, b. 26 Feb. 1792.
vi ANNA, b. 3 April 1794; m. Moody Colby, Kingston.
vii SAMUEL CALEF, b. 5 Nov. 1796; m. (1) Peace Ann Chase of Henniker, N. H.; (2) Mary A. Judkins of Kingston.
viii NATHANIEL, b. 15 Nov. 1798; m. Hannah Foster of Brentwood, N. H.
ix AMOS, b. 2 April 1801; m. 4 July 1827, Hannah P. Hook.

Charles Chase was a Quaker, a hatter by trade. The eldest son, Charles, was a noted teacher in the southern part of New Hampshire. Nathaniel was one of the very early settlers of the northwest, going to Sunrise City, Minn.

47 DOROTHY (Dolly) (William, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; b. 20 June 1762, Kingston; d. 7 Sept.

1787; m. 30 May 1786, Isaac Prince, of Nottingham, N. H.

Child:

i DOROTHY, b. 18 May 1787.

48 JAMES (James, John, Robert) of Dover, N. H.; b. abt. 1742, Haverhill, Mass.; d. said to be living 1812; m. abt. 1770, Sarah Calef, b. 15 Sept. 1749, Kingston, N. H.; d. ——; dau. of Deacon William and Lois (Sawyer) Calef (17).

Children:

i THOMAS, b. abt. 1774; m. 3 April 1797, Molly Rowe.
102 ii RUTH, b. 10 March 1777.
iii JOHN, b. ——; d. at the age of 18.
103 iv BENJAMIN, b. 13 June 1786.
104 v ZACHARIAH WATERS, b. 5 May 1791.
vi MARY, b. 1792; d. unm.

Col. James, cousin of Colonel John (41) and Judge John (40), also married a cousin, Sarah, the sister of Colonel John. James was a cooper, started potash works in Epping, was a merchant and bought and sold land a bit, owning a large tract in Lebanon, Maine.

His youth in Haverhill, Mass., must have gone to aiding his mother after his father and older brother, Samuel, were lost on the ill-fated expedition to Fort William Henry.

In Dover he bore his part in public affairs. He was "Commissary" in the Revolution, and with twelve yoke of oxen went from Dover to Ticonderoga, a matter of some 200 miles, bringing supplies for the relief of the Fort. The trail was over the mountains and through the forests where part of the way trees must be felled for passage.

He represented Dover at the General Court in 1783 and 1784. He signed a petition for a lottery to raise money for a bridge, and for a library when libraries were rare. This was formed in 1792 under the name of the Social Library Company.

The eldest son, Thomas, was a student at Dummer under the famous Master Moody. He is mentioned as moderator of a town meeting in Dover in 1797. He was

"a cooper and trader," the last probably meaning engaged in the West India trade, since he is said to have been lost at sea near the West Indies. His widow married in Kensington, N. H., John Wadleigh.

49 MARY (James, John, Robert) of Boston and Newburyport, Mass.; b. 1 Jan. 1752, Haverhill, Mass.; d. 21 Sept. 1793, Boston; m. pub. 4 Dec. 1771, Ebenezer Waters, b. 27 Jan. 1741, Boston; d. 26 July 1806, Boston; son of Seward and Sarah (Porter) Waters.

Children born at Boston:

i SAMUEL, b. 13 Jan. 1773; m. 27 Jan. 1796, Margaret Moore; 9 chn.

ii EBENEZER, b. 16 June 1774; m. 5 May 1799, Elizabeth Hemenway; 5 chn.

Children born at Newburyport:

iii JOHN, b. 1775; d. young.

iv JOHN, b. 21 Sept. 1776; m. 1 Dec. 1799, Eleanor Shales, Salem, Mass.; 11 chn.

v SALLY, b. 1777; m. Nathaniel Bullock, Astabula, O.; 6 chn.

vi JAMES, d. young.

vii WILLIAM, b. 1785; d. 25 July 1806, at Bombay, India.

viii ELIZABETH, b. ——; m. Zabina Rawson, Boston; 7 chn.

Children born at Boston:

ix MARY, b. 1788; m. after 1806, Thomas Carter; 6 chn.

x ABIGAIL, b. 12 May 1790; d. 1868; unm.

xi REBECCA, b. 11 Feb. 1792; d. 11 Oct. 1793.

Mary, youngest daughter of Abigail and James (19), when nearly twenty years old was on a visit to her uncle Daniel (23), who had a shop in Boston. There she met and married Ebenezer Waters, a descendant of the settler of 1652, William Waters. Ebenezer was a chair-maker, and successful till the passage of the Boston Port Bill and the disturbances before the Revolution ruined Boston trade. They moved to Newburyport in 1775 where her uncle Daniel was then living.

When peace was declared they returned to Boston. In 1787 their house was burned with many others on the south side of Orange Street.

Mary Calef Waters died of smallpox, then prevalent

in Boston. One who knew her said she was a most capable woman, who reared a large family successfully through a time of great distress.

Ebenezer had been left early an orphan and it is said that his property was mismanaged by his guardian. He was one of the nephews of Hannah Newhall, whose will was contested by the Waters family. It was a notable lawsuit in its time, dragging on for fourteen years and engaging such well-known lawyers as James Sullivan and Judge Theophilus Parsons.

One son, John, learned his trade of brazier of Paul Revere. William was a sailor, mate on a ship engaged in the East India trade. One day his ship sailed into harbor without him. He had been swept overboard in a storm at Bombay, but the tea and dinner set he had chosen for his brother and sister-in-law and had marked with their initials "J" and "E" was safe.

50 DANIEL (James, John, Robert) of Rochester, N. H.; bp. 4 March 1754, Haverhill, Mass.; d. 9 Nov. 1799; m. ——, Exeter, N. H., Ann Scribner, b. 1756, Waterboro, Me.; d. 26 March 1849.

Children born at Rochester:

105 i ABIGAIL, b. 24 June 1780.
106 ii JAMES, b. 16 Dec. 1783.
iii DANIEL, b. ——; d. unm.
107 iv JOHN, bp. 23 April 1789.
108 v SUSAN, b. 30 Nov. 1789.
109 vi WILLIAM, bp. 12 July 1795.

It seems likely that this is the Daniel who was Sergeant in Capt. Richard Shortridge's company, Col. Enoch Poor's regiment, from New Hampshire. The name is on the pay roll August 1775.

51 MARTHA (King, John, Robert) of Poplin, N. H., and Newbury, Vt.; b. btw. 1738-45; d. abt. 1770, Newbury; m. 22 Nov. 1764, Danville, N. H., Jonathan Ring, b. ——; d. 5 June 1815; son of Jonathan Ring. m. (2) Jeptha Adams; 6 chn.

Children:

i MOLLY, b. 25 Aug. 1765.

ii EUNICE, b. 6 Nov. 1766.
iii SARAH, b. 26 Feb. 1768.
iv MARTHA, b. 12 Sept. 1769; m. Horace Shepard, Newbury.

The descent of Martha Ring from King Calef and Eunice Allen is a deduction lacking documentary proof. But there are various coincidences of time and place that make the deduction reasonable. All the definite information on this subject comes from the husband of one of Martha and Jonathan Ring's descendants, Dorman B. E. Kent, of Montpelier, Vt.

52 JOHN (King, John, Robert) of Castine, Maine; bp. 29 Dec. 1754, Boston; d. abt. 1810; m. (1) ——; (2) —— Annis.

Children:

i POLLY, m. —— Stimpson, in Maine Legislature 1825; no chn.
110 ii JOHN, b. 21 June 1776, probably at Castine.
iii DANIEL, b. ——; of Bangor, Me.; m. ——; chn.
iv SALLY.
v ALLEN.

It has been supposed that this is the "John Calef of York" saved in 1800 by William Tewkesbury of Deer Island, Maine, from the masthead of John's schooner sunk on Fawn Bar.

In the Wentworth Genealogy is record of a Martha, born Oct. 18, 1768, daughter of a John Calef, of Brookfield, Maine. She married in 1790 William Wentworth of Frankfort, Maine. He died May 10, 1845. They had five or more children, one of whom was Nancy Smith of Pembroke, Maine, at whose home Martha Calef Wentworth died August 5, 1853.

53 SARAH (Robert, John, Robert) of Chester, N. H.; b. 12 June 1749, Chester; d. 2 Dec. 1793; m. Joseph Blanchard, b. 1753; d. 7 March 1833; son of Col. Joseph Blanchard.

Children:

i JOSEPH, b. ——; m. Abigail Rogers; 5 chn.
ii LUCY, b. ——; m. Thomas Montgomery; went to Vermont.

iii ELEAZER, b. 1782; d. 1809; unm.
iv NANCY, b. ——; d. 1809; unm.
v SALLY, b. ——; m. Josiah Melville of Maine.
vi CYRUS, b. 1787; d. 1809; unm.
vii HANNAH, b. 7 June 1790; d. 16 May 1871; m. Deacon Samuel Dinsmore of Chester.
viii MARY, b. 30 Aug. 1792; d. Feb. 1825; m. Richard Fitts; 3 chn. Mary's daughter, Maria Tenney Fitts, married Garland Calef (189).

54 ELIZABETH (Joseph, John, Robert) of Plaistow, N. H.; b. 21 Sept. 1747, Chester, N. H.; d. 24 Oct. 1778; m. 28 Jan. 1772, Moses Greenough, of Atkinson, N. H.; m. (2) Sarah Underhill.

Children of Elizabeth:

i ELIZABETH.
ii EDNA.
iii LOIS.

55 JONATHAN (Joseph, John, Robert) of Canaan (now Bloomfield) and Lyman, Maine; b. 8 May 1762, Chester, N. H.; d. 24 April 1845, Lyman; m. (1) 3 Feb. 1794, Elizabeth Hemmenway, b. 2 July 1768, Wells, Me.; d. 18 Feb. 1799, Canaan; dau. of Rev. Dr. Moses and Mary (Jefferds) Hemmenway, of Wells, Me. (2) 20 Jan. 1803, Fairfield, Me., Grace Sears Atwood, b. 2 Jan. 1784, Eastham, Mass.; d. 2 Dec. 1850, Portland, Me.; dau. of Capt. Ezra and Rhoda (Sears) Atwood.

Children of Elizabeth:

111 i ELIZABETH, b. 8 July 1795.
ii MARY JANE, b. 14 Oct. 1798; d. 27 Jan. 1859; unm.

Children of Grace:

iii JONATHAN SEARS, b. 30 March 1804; d. 25 Jan. 1806.
112 iv JONATHAN SEARS, b. 14 Oct. 1806.
v LUCINDA ATWOOD, b. 31 May 1808; d. 24 Nov. 1882; m. 15 Oct. 1843, Arthur Cleasby of Concord, Vt.; no chn.
vi GRACE SEARS, b. 16 Feb. 1813; d. 27 March 1888; m. 28 Sept. 1847, William M. Young of Acton, Me.; no chn.
113 vii RHODA ATWOOD, b. 15 Nov. 1815.
114 viii JOHN LOW, b. 20 Aug. 1818.
115 ix SARAH HERRICK, b. 10 June 1823.

Jonathan was one of the few ministers in the Calef family. He was a scholar — the master, it is said, of seven languages. He graduated at Dartmouth in 1787, won his master's degree in 1791, and then went to Wells, Maine, to study divinity with Dr. Moses Hemmenway, whose daughter in due time he married. He held but two pastorates, the first in Canaan, Maine, the second in Lyman. There in 1801 a church was formed with twenty-three members, where he served for thirty years, and lived on in Lyman till his death, fourteen years later.

56 JOSEPH (Joseph, John, Robert) of Chester, N. H.; b. 1765, Chester; d. 27 July 1807, Chester; m. Eunice (Emma) Silver, b. 1769; d. 15 Nov. 1855; dau. of Capt. James Silver of Chester. Widow Eunice Calef m. (2) John Downing of Newburyport, Mass.

Children:

116 i JAMES, b. 14 April 1792.
117 ii JOSEPH, b. 1794.
iii SALLY, b. 1799; m. (1) William Brown of Antrim, N. H.; (2) John Davis of Mass.; no chn.
118 iv ELIZA, b. 20 Feb. 1803.
v NANCY J.; b. ——; d. 28 March 1864, Quincy, Mass.; unm.

57 DAVID (Joseph, John, Robert) of Chester, Londonderry, and Manchester, N. H.; b. 27 April 1767, Chester; d. 26 Oct. 1850, Manchester; m. 1792, Mary Hazeltine, b. 10 June 1767; d. 26 July 1852; dau. of Asa and Mary (Ober) Hazeltine.

Children:

i POLLY, b. 27 Oct. 1793; d. infancy.
119 ii BETSY, b. 22 Aug. 1794.
120 iii JOHN, b. 10 Jan. 1797.
121 iv STEPHEN, b. 10 Aug. 1798.
122 v MARY, b. 18 June 1800.
123 vi NANCY, b. 9 April 1802.
124 vii RUTH, b. 1 April 1804, of Tewkesbury.
125 viii JONATHAN, b. 11 May 1807.
126 ix SARAH, b. 27 Dec. 1808.

David lived in his father Joseph's (22) house, on the

road from Auburn to Bunker Hill. He is said to have had a large farm at Goff's Falls, N. H., and there is a record of some writings of David's which tell of his moving across the Connecticut River to Vermont, where he and his sons cleared 100 acres. This was no doubt at Grafton where three of his children married. He is buried at Moore's Ferry, N. H.

58 Moses (Daniel, John, Robert) of Newburyport and Cambridge, Mass.; b. 6 March 1745, Chester, N. H.; d. Jan. 1801, Newburyport; m. pub. 15 Jan. 1777, Boston, Elizabeth Damerill. Widow Elizabeth Damerill Calef m. (2) Elkanah Lunt.

Children:

i Moses, b. 1785; d. 31 March 1849; unm.

ii Elizabeth, b. 1786; d. unm.

iii Mary, b. ——; m. 18 Oct. 1807, Anthony Francis of Newburyport.

Moses was a merchant. His shop is advertised in 1776 in the *New England Chronicle*. "To be sold by Moses Calf. Next door to the sign of the Blue Anchor, Cambridge, a Variety of Pocket-Books, Wholesale and retail; deer, moose and sheepskin breeches, of all sorts; Men's and Women's gloves, &c." Doubtless the breeches were of his father Daniel's (23) making.

One wonders if the daughter, Elizabeth, be not that headstrong Elizabeth of Newburyport who in December 1801 "published an intention of marriage" to John Cullison. Their marriage was "forbidden by Mrs. Calef," but in January 1802 banns were again published and this time the Justice of the Peace stepped in to prevent the wedding.

59 Daniel (Daniel, Jeremiah, Robert) of Boston, Mass.; bp. 27 Aug. 1749, New South Church, Boston; d. 14 June 1803, Boston; m. 21 Aug. 1774, West Church, Boston, by Rev. Simon Howard, Mary Clarke, b. 6 Feb. 1752; d. Oct. 1827, Charlestown; dau. of Thomas and Mary (Tyley) Clarke, Boston.

Children:

127 i Lucy, b. 15 Oct. 1775.

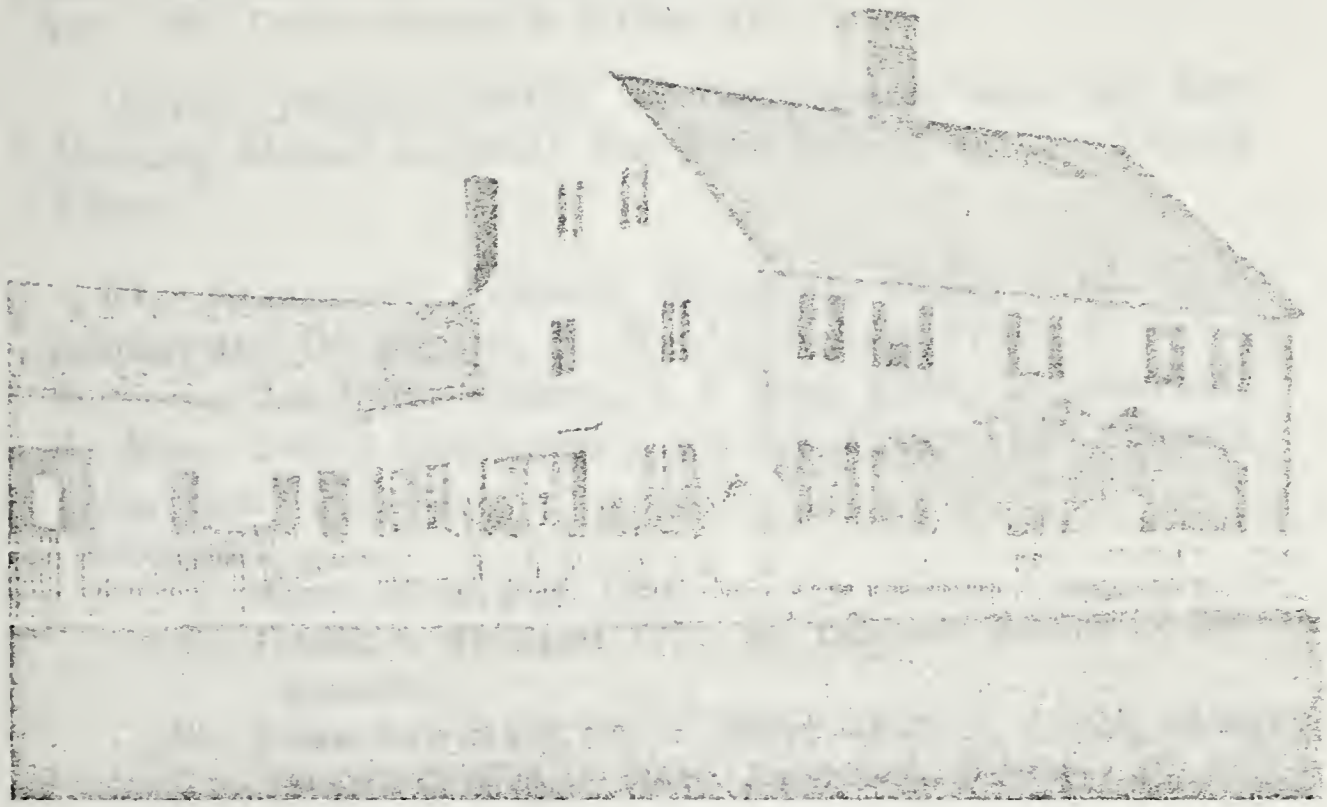
128 ii POLLY CLARKE, bp. 28 July 1776.
iii CHLOE, b. ——; m. pub. 13 Sept. 1800 Reuben Ramsdell, Boston.
iv ELIZABETH, bp. 14 Feb. 1779; m. 22 Nov. 1801, Gersom Bowker.
v JOHN, bp. 10 Dec. 1781; d. 23 Aug. 1789.
vi HANNAH RIDGWAY, bp. 9 Oct. 1791 (?)

Daniel, when about twenty-one, was one of the witnesses before the Justice of the Peace and Quorum, of the "Boston Massacre," March 5, 1770. He testified that on March 3 the wife of one of the grenadiers came into his father's blacksmith shop, where they were talking about the affray at the "rope walk." She said the soldiers were in the right and before "Tuesday or Wednesday they would wet their swords and bayonets in New England peoples blood." On Monday evening "hearing the bells ring, which he took for a fire, he went to the Custom House where were posted about a dozen soldiers with an officer . . . heard said officer order the soldiers to fire, and give the second word to fire before they fired; and upon the officer ordering the soldiers to fire a second time, saw one Caldwell fall, and likewise a mulatto man." Daniel's oath on this was taken "to perpetuate the remembrance of the thing."

In the Revolution he served as "mattross," — gunner, — in the 5th Artillery, under Colonel Crafts. He was a housewright by trade.

Mary Clarke Calef's father, Thomas Clarke, was a noted silversmith and his gift to his daughter on her marriage was two mahogany cases filled with flat silver. One of the boxes and the silver knives from the other disappeared during the Revolution, but the knife box remaining was filled with knives imported from England and is in the possession of a great-great-grandson, Mr. W. W. Lunt, curator of the Hingham Historical Society (see 128).

60 OLIVER (James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Exeter and Sanbornton, N. H.; b. abt. 1749, Exeter; d. 18 April 1820, Sanbornton; m. abt. 1770, Elizabeth Melcher, b. 1747; d. 1832 "ae 85"; probably of Portsmouth, N. H.



JEREMIAH CALEF HOMESTEAD, BUILT IN 1793

near Calef Hill, N. H.

Sanbornton - Tilton Town Line

Children, born at Exeter:

129 i ELIZABETH } b. abt. 1771.
130 ii HANNAH }
131 iii JAMES, b. abt. 1773.
132 iv ESTHER, b. abt. 1774.
133 v SAMUEL, b. 24 March 1776.
134 vi LUCY, b. 19 Feb. 1778.
135 vii SALLY, b. 18 June 1780.
viii RUTH, b. abt. 1783; d. infancy.
136 ix MEHITABLE, b. 30 Aug. 1785.
137 x MARY, b. abt. 1788.
138 xi NANCY, b. 18 May 1789.
139 xii OLIVER SMITH, b. 9 Dec. 1791.

Oliver, yeoman, settled in Sanbornton near the Bay Meeting House on what has been known as the Folsom Place.

61 ELIZABETH (James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Newmarket and Gilmanton, N. H.; bp. 6 Aug. 1749; d. ——; m. ——, Lt. Peter Folsom, b. 8 Aug. 1745, Newmarket; d. Mar. 1827, Gilmanton; son of Peter and Hannah (Morrison) Folsom.

Children:

i RUTH, b. 18 Feb. 1768.
ii JAMES, b. 28 April 1770; m. Deborah Adams of Gilmanton.
iii PETER LAWRENCE, b. 27 March 1772; d. 1 Oct, 1842; m. 1797, Widow Mary Lawrence, Fishkill, N. Y.; no chn.
iv BENJAMIN, b. 7 March 1774; d. 6 Jan. 1841, Dixmont, Me.; m. 1808, Sarah Chadbourne, Newburg, Me.
v JOHN, b. 29 July 1779.
vi HANNAH, b. 11 Sept. 1781; d. 24 Nov. 1868; m. 27 Nov. 1799, William Peasly, Gilmanton.
vii JEREMIAH, b. 19 Nov. 1783; d. in infancy.
viii JEREMIAH, b. 20 Jan. 1786.
ix BETSY SMITH, b. 5 Aug. 1788; m. Jan. 1810, Daniel Brown, Newburg, Me.: chn.
x OLIVER SMITH, b. 7 May 1791.

62 JEREMIAH (James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Exeter, N. H.; Newburyport, Mass.; Sanbornton, N. H.; b. 19 Jan. 1751, Exeter; d. 26 May 1821; m. (1) 13 Dec.

1772, Exeter, Molly Calef (24[5]), bp. 23 Jan. 1753; d. 7 Feb. 1796; dau. of Jeremiah and Lydia (Robinson) Calef. (2) 27 Nov. 1807, Hannah (Brackett) Creighton, b. Jan. 1759; d. 10 July 1832; of Greenland, N. H.

Children by wife Molly, born at Exeter:

i LYDIA, b. 4 Aug. 1773; d. 9 April 1790, Sanbornton.
140 ii MARY, b. 3 Jan. 1775.
iii LUCY, b. 12 March 1777; d. 11 Aug. 1783.
141 iv JEREMIAH, b. 5 May 1782.
142. v JAMES, b. 28 Jan. 1785.
vi LUCY CHADBOURNE, b. 12 April 1787; d. 3 Jan. 1788.

Children born at Sanborton:

vii JONATHAN, b. 22 Nov. 1789; d. 30 Aug. 1823; unm.
143 viii BETSY, b. 15 Oct. 1791.

Lieutenant Jeremiah (Captain, in old deeds) married his cousin Molly Calef in Exeter. He owned the sawmill rights of his grandfather Jeremiah and he inherited considerable property from his grandfather Oliver Smith. This included the right to cut wood for his fires for twenty years after his grandfather Smith's death, from the land near Deer Hill in Brentwood, bequeathed to his aunt, Mehitable Lyford.

In 1785 he was a tobacconist on Long Wharf, Newburyport.

In 1789 the family migrated to Sanbornton, travelling in a "double sleigh." Lucy, the eldest child, died the following spring, and hers was the first burial in the Calef Burying Ground in which the Calefs for generations were to lie.

Jeremiah built the house by Calef Hill in 1793, Parson Woodman offering a prayer when the frame was ready to be raised.

He was an officer in the militia and held various offices of trust. It is mentioned as especially important, that for twenty-two years he was tithing-man, keeping small children in order in the meeting-house, and looking after the behavior of the church members.

Among the papers in the possession of his great-great-granddaughter, Edith Calef Ackerson, is the following agreement between Jeremiah and an apprentice:

"This Indenture made the Eighth Day of December, Anno Domini 1787 Witnesseth that Daniel Hilyand Son of Benjamin Hilyand of Hampton falls in the County of Rockingham & State of New Hampshire, Laborer hath put himself & by these presents doth put himself & by the consent of his said Father doth voluntarily put & bind himself an Apprentice to Jeremiah Calef of Exeter in the County aforesaid yeoman After the manner of an Apprentice to Serve him from the 15th day of July last past Five years to be compleat & ended During all which term the said Apprentice his said Master faithfully shall Serve, his secrets keep & Lawfull commands gladly everywhere obey he shall do no damage to his said Master nor see it done by others without telling and giving Notice thereof to his said Master he shall not waste his said Masters goods or lend them unlawfully to any—he shall not absent himself by day or by night from his Masters Service without his leave—but in all things behave himself as a faithful Apprentice ought to do during Said term—

And the said Master shall use his utmost care an Endeavor to teach & instruct said Apprentice in the Art of Husbandry & good behavior also in Reading and writing & provide unto him good & sufficient meat Drink Apparrel washing & Lodging fitting for such an Apprentice during the said term—

And at the Expiration of said term to Dismiss said Apprentice with two Suits of Clothes suitable for him the one for Lords Day the other for working days

And for the true performance of each of the said Covenants & Agreements either of the Said parties bind themselves to the other by these presents In witness whereof they have Inter changeably put their hands and Seals the Day above written

Signed, Sealed & Delivered — Benjamin ———
Jeremiah Lane — ——— Hilyand
Joshua Lane
Jonathan Crum

(The signatures of the parties to the indenture are partially torn out.)

63 Ruth (James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Exeter, N. H.; Marblehead, Mass.; b. Aug. 1752, Exeter; d. 13 Feb. 1825; m. ——, Samuel Rust, b. 26 Nov. 1749, Ipswich, Mass.; d. 7 Feb. 1827, Marblehead; son of Samuel Rust.

Children:

i SAMUEL, b. 20 Oct. 1772; d. 11 June 1795.
ii SARAH, b. 15 Sept. 1775; d. 25 Mch. 1866; m. James Rundlett; no chn.
iii JAMES, b. 13 July 1778; d. 23 July 1807, at sea; unm.
iv POLLY, b. 15 Oct. 1780; d. 7 Sept. 1857; m. 3 Apr. 1800, Moses Silver of Sanbornton; 11 chn.
v NATHANIEL, b. 27 June 1784; d. Oct. 1800, at sea; unm.
vi HANNAH, b. 15 May 1787; d. Nov. 1832; m. Joseph Noyes, Newburyport; 4 chn.
vii LUCY, b. 8 Nov. 1789; d. 17 July 1842, Marblehead; m. 7 Dec. 1807, Dan Weed; 12 chn.
viii WALLACE, b. 1 May 1794; d. 12 Sept. 1870; m. Eliza Hyde; 3 chn.
ix SAMUEL, b. 26 July 1797; d. 20 Dec. 1876; m. (1) Betsy Stevens, (2) Frances S. Webster; no chn., adopted two of sister, Hannah.

Samuel Rust was a ship's carpenter.

64 MARGARET (John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of Boston, Mass.; b. 15 Oct. 1748, Ipswich, Mass.; d. Aug. 1789; m. 14 Oct. 1767, Dr. Daniel Scott, Boston, b. ——; d. before Aug. 1789.

Children:

i BETSY, b. ——; m. July 1789 Dr. Abijah Cheever.
ii MARGARET, b. ——; m. July 1789 Samuel Cobb.

Dr. Scott was a dentist and an apothecary, having drugs for sale "at the Medecine Store, at the Sign of the Leopard, near the Haymarket, South End, Boston."

65 MARY (John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of Ipswich, Mass.; b. 20 March 1750, Ipswich; d. ——; m. pub. 13 Oct. 1770, Capt. John Dutch, bp. 15 Nov. 1747, Ipswich; d. ——; son of Benjamin jr. and Sarah Dutch.

Children:

i ELIZABETH, b. 3 Oct. 1771.
ii MOLLY, bp. 3 Nov. 1776.
iii ROBERT.
iv JOHN.

Molly's baptism is recorded simply as "Daughter of John Dutch." Neither title "Captain" nor mother's name is given.

66 MEHITABLE (John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of St. John and St. Andrews, N. B., b. 13 Sept. 1767, Ipswich, Mass.; d. 20 Dec. 1860, St. Andrews; m. 14 Nov. 1786, at St. John, Capt. David Mowatt, b. 1741, Orkney Is.; d. 31 Aug. 1810, drowned at Clam Cove.

Children:

i JOHN SPENCE, d. young.
ii GEORGE RYDER, d. young.
iii ANN SARAH, b. 10 May 1791; d. 1849; m. Dr. Samuel Frye.
iv WILLIAM HENRY, b. Apr. 1793; d. March 1871.
v DAVID JOHN, b. Oct. 1794; m. 1821, Myra P. Wyer.
vi ROBERT SAMUEL, b. Jan. 1797; d. 1850.
vii HORATIO NELSON, b. Sept. 1798; d. at sea 1834.
viii JOHN CALEF, b. Aug. 1800; d. 1845.
ix GEORGE, b. Dec. 1802; d. 1817.
x PETER, b. May, 1805; d. 1813.
xi DOROTHY, b. March 1807; d. 1834; m. A. Jack of St. John.
xii SUSAN E., b. Feb. 1810; m. Hon. R. D. Wilmot; chn.

67 JEDEDIAH JEWETT (John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of Ipswich, Mass.; Waterford and Bridgton, Me.; St. George, N. B., and Nininger, Minn.; b. 22 June 1778, Ipswich; d. 11 Oct. 1857, Nininger; m. pub. 28 June 1798, Sarah Fowler, b. 6 May 1781, Ipswich; d. 2 April 1842, St. George; dau. of Lieut. John Fowler and Sarah (Perkins) (Abbott) Fowler.

Children:

i JOHN, b. 9 Sept. 1799; d. 5 March 1805.
144 ii DOROTHY JEWETT, b. 26 Oct. 1801.
145 iii ROBERT, b. 16 May 1803.
iv JOHN, b. 18 Feb. 1805; drowned 1 Aug. 1827, Pasamaquoddy River, Me.; unm.
146 v SAMUEL, b. 8 Feb. 1807.
vi SARAH PERKINS, b. 19 April 1809; d. Nininger; unm.
vii BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. 6 Feb. 1811; d. 28 Feb. 1851, St. George; unm.
viii MARGARET ELIZABETH, b. 4 Dec. 1812; m. Wm. Hawkins, Hampton, Minn.
ix MARY JANE, b. 9 Feb. 1815.
147 x PETER MOWATT, b. 8 Feb. 1818.

xi WILLIAM HENRY, b. 24 Feb. 1822; of Cerro Gordo, Cal.; unm. 1873.

Jedediah lived in Linebrook Parish, Ipswich, on the farm coming to him from his grandfather, the Reverend Jedediah Jewett of Rowley. He sold this property when he went to Waterford about 1809, to Andrew Dodge. The house was standing in 1873.

68 JOSEPH (Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Robert) of Cape Elizabeth, Me., b. 12 Dec. 1758, Milton, Mass.; d. ——; m. 29 March 1797, Scarborough, Me., Abigail Mars.

Children:

i JOSEPH WASHINGTON, b. 6 Jan. 1809; of Lisbon, Me.
ii SAMUEL, b. 30 Sept. 1812; d. unm.

Joseph, yeoman, served twelve days in 1776, in Captain Jonah Voses' company, "guarding the shores," as did his twin brother Samuel. He bought much of the family lands in North Yarmouth and Gray, Maine, and settled on the Calef Place, his grandfather Joseph's, at Cape Elizabeth, where he had inherited land from his Aunt Elizabeth Calef. He is said to have lived in Wells and Lisbon, but there is no trace of this in the deeds accessible.

69 EBENEZER WINTER (Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Robert) of Boston, Mass., and Walpole, N. H.; b. 17 Aug. 1760, Milton, Mass.; d. 9 Feb. 1829; m. 1 Feb. 1800, Boston, Sarah Gibson, b. 1760, Walpole; d. ——; dau. of Abraham and Esther (Fox) Gibson.

Children born at Boston:

i SARAH GIBSON, b. 7 March 1801; d. 1 Feb. 1844; m. Charles Senter, Walpole; a son.
148 ii MEHITABLE MILLER, b. 3 Feb. 1803.
iii EBENEZER WINTER, b. 18 May 1804; d. 13 Sept. 1805, Boston.
iv EBENEZER WINTER, b. 13 June 1807; d. unm.

"E. Winter Calef, Esq., gentleman" and merchant of Boston, bought of his bachelor uncle, Ebenezer Winter Calef, the property in Milk Street, Boston, that had been his grandfather Joseph's. He paid $7,000, a goodly sum in 1807. One of the witnesses was Tristram Jordan, which takes the mind back more than a century, to the

days of Indian massacres, the death of E. Winter's great-grandfather, Domenicus Jordan, the captivity of his great-grandmother, Hannah Tristram, and of his grandmother, the little girl, Hannah Jordan.

The name Winter Calef appears in the New Hampshire records for Kingston as on the Continental frigate *Boston*, July 16, 1777. Only two of the name are known of possible age for service:— the Boston merchant, born in 1729, and this nephew, E. Winter, who would have been barely old enough.

The youngest son, Ebenezer Winter, the third of the name, lived in Milton, unmarried. He was called "Major" and joined the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company in 1833. He understood himself to be the last male descendant of Joseph, the eldest son of Robert Calef, the emigrant.

70 Hannah (Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Robert) of Boston, Mass.; b. 1 March 1763, Milton, Mass.; d. ——; m. Aug. 1793, Boston, Major Samuel Miller Thayer, b. 9 Apr. 1761, Braintree, Mass.; son of Hon. Ebenezer and Rebecca (Miller) Thayer.

Children:

i Rebecca, d. unm.
ii Ebenezer, b. abt. 1797; d. unm.

71 Stephen Miller (Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Robert) of Milton, Mass.; and Cape Elizabeth, Brunswick, Maine; b. 9 Sept. 1767, Milton; d. after 1820; m. int. 26 Nov. 1807, Cape Elizabeth, Widow Rebecca Emerson, probably the widow of Rev. Joseph Emerson of Pepperell.

Children:

i Joseph.
ii Rachel, m., lived in Marblehead or Lowell.

Stephen, a "yeoman and trader," bought of Joseph and Ebenezer Winter, his brothers, lands belonging to their grandfather Joseph's estate, at Hope Island, Casco Bay.

72 Anna (Califf) (Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Westminster, Mass.; b. 11 Dec. 1764, Westminster;

d. 12 March 1804, Halifax, Vt.; m. 8 June 1784, Samuel Wood, b. 26 Jan. 1761, Westminster; d. 8 Oct. 1828.

Children:

i ANNA, b. 27 March 1785; d. 16 June 1851; m. Erastus Brookins, Canada.

ii EUNICE, b. 9 March 1787; d. 11 June 1803.

iii MOSES, b. 6 Nov. 1788; d. 19 April 1852; m. 1811, Margaret Newell.

iv SAMUEL, b. 6 June 1790; d. 25 Aug. 1803.

v LOIS, b. 9 Feb. 1792; d. 19 Nov. 1863; m. James Gerould; 12 chn.

vi EZRA, b. 1 Oct. 1793; d. 5 Dec. 1873; m. 1816 Lucy Hacket.

vii JONATHAN, b. 10 June 1795; d. 17 Feb. 1873; m. 1818, Abiah Thomas.

viii NATHAN, b. 28 May 1797; d. 22 May 1835; m. Sally Hacket.

ix REBECCA, b. 16 May 1798; d. 27 April 1855; m. John E. Hale, Knoxville, Ill.

x ABRAHAM, b. 16 May 1799; d. 31 Dec. 1849; m. Electa Farnsworth.

xi, AMASA, b. 11 Jan. 1803; d. 27 Aug. 1810.

73 STEPHEN (Califf) (Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Westminster, Mass.; Halifax (Green River), Vt.; Smithfield, Pa.; b. 14 March 1767, Westminster, Mass.; d. 10 April 1842, Smithfield; m. 9 Aug. 1787, Ruth Allen, b. 15 Aug. 1770; d. 13 Aug. 1847, Smithfield; dau. of "Deacon" David and Eunice (Experience?) (Streeter) Allen.

Children born at Green River:

149 i STEPHEN, b. 28 April 1788.

150 ii EZRA, b. 9 May 1790.

151 iii RUTH, b. 31 May 1792.

152 iv JONATHAN, b. 2 May 1794.

153 v JOEL, b. 10 Oct. 1796.

154 vi LOIS, b. 12 Dec. 1798.

155 vii HOSEA, b. 4 Aug. 1801.

viii SAMUEL, b. 25 April 1803.

156 ix ENOS, b. 13 June 1807.

157 x ANNA, b. 22 March 1809.

158 xi RUFUS, b. 14 Oct. 1810.

159 xii ALLEN, b. 17 Aug. 1812.

Stephen was a frontiersman born. At nineteen he bought his time of his father and went from Waltham to his sister, Anna Wood, in Halifax, Vermont. He married the following year, and a year later bought sixty-three acres of woodland in the wilderness near Green River. He cleared about forty-five, built a house and barns and there Ruth Allen and he settled.

In 1814, when the youngest of their twelve children, Allen, was two, they decided to follow their eldest sons, Stephen and Ezra, to the better farming lands of northern Pennsylvania. From a descendant we have the story of this adventure. The old home was sold and in October when the crops had been gathered they set out, a party of thirteen. A two-horse wagon carried those who could not make the long day's march. Farm tools and household goods were loaded on a great cart drawn by four oxen. Two cows walked beside, to give milk on the way across the State of New York to the Promised Land. On the twenty-fourth of October they came safely into the new settlement in Bradford County, a journey of twenty days. Here Stephen bought 190 acres of the Thorp tract, two miles east of East Smithfield and again cleared the wilderness for house and barns. It was true wilderness where wild creatures still roamed, for a bear came near enough to the house one night to make off with a choice mutton. In time there were meadows and pasture and even an orchard about the new home and not till he was seventy-two and Ruth near seventy did this stalwart couple stop to take breath. They went for their last years to the not distant home of their son Enos. Their headstones stand in the Union Cemetery, Smithfield. The family, thus started on its way, was described a generation ago by one of its members as "quiet, peace-loving, industrious, temperate. There have been three ordained ministers and one lawyer; several grandsons served with distinction in the Civil War and one was killed at Vicksburg."

74 Ezra (Califf) (Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Westminster, Mass.; b. 3 Dec. 1768, Westminster; d. 11 June 1793; m. pub. 1 Oct. 1791, Ruth Darby, b. 11

March 1770; d. 21 Dec. 1846; dau. of John and (Gary or Gerry) Darby. Widow Ruth Califf m. (2) Ezekiel Kendall of Sterling, Mass.

Child:

i LUCY, b. 23 Nov. 1792; d. 3 Aug. 1826; m. Edward Kendall.

75 ABIGAIL (Califf) (Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of East Smithfield, Pa.; b. 2 Aug. 1770, Westminster; d. ——; m. (1) 1795, Westminster, Samuel Farwell, (2) 1806, Christopher Tiffany.

Child by husband Samuel Farwell:

i EZRA.

76 LOIS (John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 27 June 1763, Hampstead; d. by 1808; m. int. 8 June, 1786, Hampstead, Samuel Stevens.

Children:

i Daughter, b. ——; m. Jacob Reddington; living in Goshen, N. H., 1849.

ii Daughter, b. ——; m. —— Doloph; chn.

77 MOLLY (POLLY) (John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 27 June 1765, Hampstead; d. 8 Oct. 1844; m. 25 June 1795, John Poor, b. 1 March 1770, Hampstead; d. 20 May 1845; son of David and Phebe (Carleton) Poor.

Children:

i JOHN CALEF, b. 3 Aug. 1797; m. (1) Susan Boyes; (2) Judith Corning of Derry, N. H.; chn.

ii JONATHAN CARLETON, b. 12 Jan. 1801; d. 24 Nov. 1849; m. 19 Dec. 18—, Mary Hall; chn.

78 WILLIAM (John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 1 May 1773, Hampstead; d. 29 April 1798, Hampstead; m. 11 Nov. 1795, Hampstead, Mary Little, b. 4 March 1772; d. 25 Feb. 1855, Hampstead; dau. of Benjamin and Mary (Hazen) Little, Hampstead.

Children:

160 i MARY HAZEN, b. 14 June 1796.

161 ii LOUISA, b. 17 Nov. 1798.

79 JOSEPH (John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 4 Dec. 1775, Hampstead; d. 6 Aug. 1854, Hampstead; m. (1) 22 April 1802 Nabby Kimball, b. 1779; d. 5 April 1803; dau. of Nathaniel and Susannah (Sawyer) Kimball, Plaistow. (2) 9 July 1807, Hampstead, Margaret McKensey, b. at Derry, N. H.; d. May 1865, Hampstead.

Child by wife Nabby:

i ABIGAIL, b. 31 March 1803; d. 8 Sept. 1804.

Children by wife Margaret:

162 ii JOHN, b. 9 Dec. 1808.

iii NABBY KIMBALL, b. 8 June 1810; d. 26 April 1833; unm.

iv CAROLINE, b. 21 May 1820; m. John N. Boynton; no c.

163 v JOSEPH JAMES, b. 2 Sept. 1828.

vi MARGARET ANN, b. 2 Sept. 1828; m. Loren Flanders; no chn.

80 SARAH (John, John, John, Robert) of Goshen, N. H.; b. 6 Aug. 1778, Hampstead, N. H.; d. May 1826; m. 5 Feb. 1799, Jonathan Badger of Kingston, N. H.

Children

i WILLIAM, b. — Dec. 1799, Danville, N. H.; d. 25 Dec. 1882; m. Hannah Dodge Reddington; 6 chn.

ii STEPHEN, b. 24 Apr. 1803; d. 7 Sept. 1875; m. Sabina Lee; went to Illinois; 6 chn.

iii LOIS, b. ——; d. 9 July 1827; m. Col. Jacob Reddington (?); no chn.

Tradition gives Sarah a second husband, —— Glidden, and a third, Deacon Perkins.

81 JAMES (John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 25 Feb. 1782, Hampstead; d. 1 Nov. 1855, Hampstead; m. (1) 12 April 1804, Anna Kimball, b. 5 Jan. 1783, Plaistow, N. H.; d. 14 March 1828, Hampstead; dau. of Nathaniel and Susanna (Sawyer) Kimball. (2) 10 March 1829, Derry, N. H., Mrs. Elizabeth (Webster) Cross, b. 22 July 1791; d. 20 Dec. 1867,

Hampstead; dau. of Jesse and Abigail (Eaton) Webster, of Derry.

Children by wife Anna Kimball:

i Daughter, b. 7 April 1805; d. 19 April 1805.

164 ii HORATIO GATES KIMBALL, b. 11 March 1808, Saco, Me.

iii ALMIRA ANN, b. 15 May 1810; d. 6 Dec. 1832.

iv JAMES ALBERT, b. 11 March 1812; m. Louise Heath.

165 v HARRIET NEWELL, b. 12 April 1816.

166 vi LOIS, b. 4 Sept. 1821.

vii SUSANNA SAWYER, b. 24 Sept. 1825; d. 12 Nov. 1841.

The tombstone reads "James Calef, Esquire."

82 JOSEPH (John, William, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; b. 5 May 1756, Kingston; d. 22 Oct. 1836, Kingston; m. (1) 28 June 1781, Miriam Bartlett, b. 19 June 1758, Kingston; d. 27 Aug. 1785; dau. of Governor Josiah and Mary (Bartlett) Bartlett. (2) 23 Sept. 1789, Molly Hook, b. 13 July 1762, Kingston; d. 9 Oct. 1790; dau. of Humphrey and Hannah (Philbrick) Hook, Sandown. (3) 18 July 1792, Susanna Bachellor, b. 17 Jan. 1766; d. before 1848; dau. of Nathaniel and Susanna (Gale) Bachellor, East Kingston.

Children born at Kingston, by wife Miriam:

167 i JOSIAH, b. 21 May 1782.

168 ii MIRIAM, b. 20 May 1784.

iii JUDITH, b. ——; d. before 1806 (?)

Children by wife Susanna:

iv MOSES HOOK, b. 9 April 1798; d. age 5 years.

169 v JOHN PIERCE BARNARD, b. 15 Sept. 1801.

Joseph was a private in Capt. Philip Tilton's company, Col. Poore's Regiment, in 1775, and served in the Revolutionary Army.

Miriam Bartlett's father was Dr. Josiah Bartlett, the signer of the Declaration of Independence.

83 MARY (John, William, John, Robert) of Pembroke and Chester, N. H.: b. 19 Jan. 1758, Kingston,

N. H.; d. 20 May 1837, Chester; m. 11 Dec. 1780, Zaccheus Colby, b. 1742, Newton, N. H.; d. 10 Aug. 1822, Chester; son of Zaccheus and Mary (Eastman) Colby.

Children born at Pembroke:

i JOHN, b. 6 Oct. 1784; d. 20 March 1870; unm.
ii SAMUEL, b. 4 Oct. 1786; m. Lydia Coult.
iii MARY, b. 17 Dec. 1788; d. 29 Dec. 1815; unm.
iv HANNAH, b. 13 Jan. 1791; d. unm.
v SARAH, b. 2 April 1793; d. March 1835; m. Dr. Nathan Plummer.
vi ZACCHEUS, b. 25 May 1796; d. 24 Dec. 1860; m. Mary Coult.
vii JUDITH, b. 10 Jan. 1799; d. 25 Feb. 1825.

Mary Calef Colby's husband, Zaccheus, had been her father's apprentice in the tannery at Kingston. He gave up the trade, however, went to Dummer Academy and to Dartmouth, came back to marry his master's daughter, and was settled as minister in Pembroke. When called by the church in Chester, he wrote a long letter on the question then troubling the ecclesiastical world — the baptism of children whose parents had been baptized but were not in full communion with the church — the "half way covenant." He writes: "If I should be active in the admission of any in this way, while I verily believe it is wrong, to me it would be a sin. God would hide his face from me and I should be troubled; nor could you put your confidence in a man who would sin against his own understanding." Yet with extraordinary tolerance he holds that others may be of a different opinion and he will not "attempt to hurt their minds or lord it over their consciences."

The Colby's Chester homestead had been Governor Wentworth's farm. Judith was a missionary to the Osage Indians at Harmony Station, in southern New Hampshire.

84 HANNAH (John, William, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; b. 4 March 1760, Kingston; d. 16 March 1841; m. 28 Dec. 1780, Rev. Elihu Thayer, D. D., b. 18

March 1746, Braintree, Mass.; d. 3 April 1812, Kingston; son of Nathaniel and Mary (Faxon) Thayer.

Children:

i MARY, b. 24 Feb. 1782; m. Joseph Rowe, East Kingston.

ii NATHANIEL, b. 6 Aug. 1783; m. Mary Sanborn, East Kingston.

iii JUDITH, b. 26 Feb. 1785; unm.

iv HANNAH, b. 29 July 1787; d. March 1829; unm.

v SAMUEL CALEF, b. 21 July 1789; unm.

vi SARAH, b. 16 Aug. 1792; m. Moses Peaslee, Lancaster, Mass.

vii JOHN, b. 4 Aug. 1795; d. 10 Dec. 1831; unm.

viii MARTHA, b. 14 June 1798; d. 20 Sept. 1821; m. Nathaniel Brown.

ix CALVIN, b. 29 July 1800; d. young.

x ELIHU, b. 25 Aug. 1802; d. 1834, Goffs Falls; m. Jane E. Underhill.

xi CALVIN, b. 20 June 1805; m. Sarah W. (Fiske) Grout; 3 chn.

Hannah married the brilliant young clergyman who had been ordained over the church in Kingston in 1776, and who was to be its devoted minister for thirty-six years. Part of the "Huntoon Place" had come to her as her father's legacy and there the family lived. Her husband was "a graduate of the New Jersey College." Dartmouth gave him the degree of D. D. in 1807. A volume of his sermons was published after his death. "He was eminent for humility and zeal and fidelity in the cause of his Master, and was universally beloved and respected."

85 JOHN (John, William, John, Robert) of Pembroke and Goshen, N. H.; b. 23 Sept. 1762, Kingston, N. H.; d. 20 Aug. 1841, Goshen; m. 27 Nov. 1788, Abigail Bartlett, b. ——; d. after 1839; dau. of Richard and Abigail (Belknap) Bartlett, Pembroke.

Children:

i ABIGAIL, b. ——; d. 1840, Lowell, Mass.; unm.

ii SALOME, b. ——; d. at seventeen.

iii HELENA, b. ——; m. Ruggles Watkins, Warner, N. H., and Lowell; chn.

AMOS CALEF
1769 - 1856

From a portrait in possession of Mrs. Charles A. Brown, of Salem

John prepared for college with his sister Hannah's husband, the Rev. Dr. Thayer, in Kingston. He graduated at Dartmouth in 1786, but on account of health had to give up his plans to become a doctor. He kept a tavern in Pembroke for a few years, then took up farming on land in Goshen left him by his father, Colonel John (41). For two sessions he was the town's representative at the General Court.

86 AMOS (John, William, John, Robert) of Goshen and Pembroke, N. H.; b. 1 July 1769, Kingston, N. H.; d. 1 July 1856, Gloucester, Mass.; m. March 1803, Pembroke, Phebe Bartlett, b. 23 Nov. 1777; d. 20 March 1847, Gloucester; dau. of Stephen and Hannah (Belknap) Bartlett, Pembroke.

Children born at Goshen:

i NANCY BARTLETT, b. 17 Sept. 1804; d. 14 Feb. 1832, Andover, N. H.; unm.

170 ii JOHN CHURCH, b. 29 July 1806.

iii SAMUEL T., b. 15 Jan. 1809; d. 22 Nov. 1845, Baltimore, Md.; m. 23 Aug. 1833, Emily Williams, Philadelphia.

iv MARY JANE, b. 3 Aug. 1812; d. 1878; m. 12 Dec. 1839, Benjamin Haskell, Rockport, Mass.; no chn.

Amos had a farm of 250 acres in Goshen, next his sister, Hannah Thayer. A portrait of Amos is owned by descendants of John Church Calef.

87 ROBERT (John, William, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; b. 26 Feb. 1772, Kingston; d. 20 Oct. 1838; m. 25 May 1802, Kingston, Polly Sleeper, b. 19 Oct. 1781, Kingston; d. 15 July 1855; dau. of Richard and Martha (Fifield) Sleeper.

Children born at Kingston:

171 i JOHN, b. 10 March 1803.

ii MARY JANE, b. 2 May 1805; m. 1842, Plaistow, Tilton French; no chn.

172 iii SAMUEL, b. 22 Jan. 1810.

173 iv ELIZA ANN, b. 10 June 1814.

Robert was a farmer.

88 WILLIAM (William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. abt. 1761, Kingston, N. H.; d. 5 Dec. 1843; m. 29 Dec. 1785, Hannah Eastman, b. 12 Feb. 1764, Kingston; d. 13 April 1823; dau. of Edward and Anna (Judkins) Eastman, Salisbury.

Children born at Salisbury:

174 i WILLIAM, b. 4 Sept. 1786.
175 ii JOHN, b. 27 Jan. 1788.
176 iii HANNAH, b. 13 March 1790.
177 iv POLLY, b. 6 Dec. 1791.
v NANCY, b. 2 April 1794; d. 13 June 1867, Lowell, Mass.; unm.
vi MOSES, b. 3 July 1796; d. 10 Jan. 1797.
vii MOSES, b. 28 Oct. 1797; d. 6 Nov. 1828, Worcester; m. Clementina Clement of Worcester; dau., name not known.
viii SUSANNAH, b. 17 Jan. 1800; d. 9 Aug. 1802.
ix SAMUEL, b. 30 Nov. 1802; d. 31 Aug. 1804.
178 x HENRY, b. 10 June 1804.
179 xi SAMUEL EASTMAN, b. 24 Nov. 1806.
xii SUSANNA, b. 24 April 1808; d. 1878, Lowell; unm.

William was a farmer.

89 JONATHAN (William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 1764, Kingston, N. H.; d. 18 April 1851, Salisbury; m. 5 Feb. 1794, Hannah Garland, b. 5 Sept. 1767; d. 8 July 1869 "aet 102 years"; dau. of Ensign Moses and Mehitable (Sleeper) Garland, Kingston, N. H.

Children:

i DAVID, b. abt. 1795; d. 18 July 1815; unm.
180 ii JOHN, b. 28 Oct. 1797.
181 iii MOSES, b. abt. 1800.
182 iv JOSEPH, b. 1802.
183 v JAMES, b. 28 Oct. 1804.

Jonathan was a farmer.

90 MOSES (William, William, John, Robert) of Boscawen, N. H. (part called Webster); b. abt. 1768, Kingston, N. H.; d. abt. 1794; m. ——, Polly (Nancy) Lover-

ing, dau. of Benjamin and —— (Thorne) Lovering, Kingston.

Children born at Boscawen:

i NANCY, b. ——; d. young.
184 ii NANCY, b. 29 March 1788.
iii POLLY, b. ——; d. young.
iv ELIZA, b. ——; d. young.
185 v MOSES, b. posthumous.

Moses was a farmer, one of the petitioners in 1791 that a new town, Bristol, be set off from Boscawen. In that same year he paid $43, a goodly sum after the Revolution, for pew 30 in the new meeting house.

91 ELIZABETH (William, William, John, Robert) of Boscawen, N. H.; b. 7 July 1772, Salisbury, N. H.; d. 15 April 1841; m. 2 April 1800, Nathaniel H. Couch, b. 5 Nov. 1779; d. 10 July 1844; son of Benjamin and Rachel (Heath) Couch, Boscawen.

Children:

i NANCY ADAMS, b. 15 Jan. 1801; d. 2 Nov. 1874; m. Amos Stone, Canterbury, N. H.; chn.
ii POLLY, b. 8 Dec. 1805; d. 27 Dec. 1823; unm.
iii JOHN GILMAN, b. 26 April 1809; m. Eliza Clark Calef (186).

92 DAVID (William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 30 Oct. 1774, Salisbury; d. 14 June 1857, Salisbury; m. 25 Nov. 1807, Sarah Jones, b. 1 Sept. 1785, Canaan, N. H.; d. 31 May 1867; dau. of John and Elizabeth (Clark) Jones.

Children born in Salisbury:

i NANCY ROWELL, b. 24 Feb. 1809; m. Garland Calef (189).
ii SARAH J., b. 12 Feb. 1811; d. 6 Feb. 1845; unm.
186 iii ELIZA CLARK, b. 1 May 1813.
187 iv MARY J., b. 28 July 1815.
v DAVID, b. 25 Sept. 1817; d. 18 Sept. 1844, Baltimore, Md.; unm.
vi EDGAR } b. 5 Dec. 1820; d. 12 Dec. 1820.
vii EDWIN }
188 viii DANIEL J., b. 31 Jan. 1824.

David had his father's homestead.

Stones to David, Sarah, and the daughter Sarah stand in the old graveyard, Salisbury.

Two daughters were married to Calef cousins,—Nancy to Garland Calef; Eliza to John Couch, son of the aunt whose name she bore, Eliza Calef Couch.

93 DANIEL (William, William, John, Robert) of Boscawen, N. H.; b. 17 Jan. 1777, Salisbury, N. H.; d. 22 April, 1835; m. 5 Jan. 1800, Asenath Garland, b. 17 Sept. 1782, Salisbury; d. 29 May 1865; dau. of Ensign Moses and Mehitable (Sleeper) Garland, Salisbury.

Child:

189 i GARLAND, b. 5 Jan. 1802.

Asenath was the sister of Hannah Garland, who married Daniel's brother, Jonathan Calef (89). Daniel's farm had belonged to another brother, Moses.

94 ELIZABETH (Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Bethel, Maine; b. 1 Oct. 1767, Kingston, N. H.; d. 13 Nov. 1828, Bethel; m. ——, John Walker, b. abt. 1763; d. Jan. 1829.

Children:

i JAMES, b. 8 July 1791; d. 7 Dec. 1866, Bethel; m., 1822, Hannah Jackman Barker.

ii JOSEPH CALEF, b. 12 Jan. 1793; m. July 1824, Lucinda Haley, Waterford, Me.

iii HANNAH, b. 12 March 1796; d. 22 Aug. 1868, Bethel; m. abt. 1819, Isaac Pressey, Mercer, Me.

iv ABIEL, b. ——; m. Acmina Stevens, Berlin, N. H.

v RUTH, b. May 1800; d. 1845, Concord, N. H.; unm.

vi ELIZA CALEF, b. Aug. 1802; d. 1835, Bethel; unm.

vii CHARLES, b. Aug. 1808; d. Jan. 1850; m. (1) Louisa Barker; (2) Lavinia Barker, Lowell, Me.(?)

95 NATHANIEL (Joseph, William, John, Robert) of East Plainfield, N. H.; b. 26 Oct. 1769, Kingston, N. H.; d. 29 April 1844; m. (1) 1790, Elizabeth Hall, b. 16 Dec. 1770, Salisbury; d. 28 Jan. 1819; dau. of David and Mehitable Hall; (2) 1821, Sarah Pettingill Little.

Children by wife Elizabeth:

i JOHN, b. 14 Feb. 1791; d. 13 Feb. 1805.

190 ii MEHITABLE, b. 6 March 1793.
191 iii HANNAH, b. 27 March 1795.
192 iv NATHANIEL, b. 10 April 1797.
193 v MARY, b. 18 April 1801.
194 vi ABIGAIL, b. 23 May 1803.
195 vii JOHN HALL, b. 21 Dec. 1805.
196 viii SARAH, b. 28 Feb. 1808.
197 ix DRUSILLA S., b. 9 Dec. 1810.
198 x BETSY, b. 28 Nov. 1815.
xi SAMUEL, b. ——; of Beardstown, Ill.
xii LUCINDA, b. ——; m. Charles Harrington, E. Plainfield; 5 chn.

Deacon Nathaniel served in Capt. Joseph Kimball's company, War of 1812.

96 LOIS (Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Kingston and Hanover, N. H., Chelsea and Corinth, Vt.; b. 4 Dec. 1770, Kingston; d. Nov. 1844, Chelsea, buried Corinth Center; m. 11 Jan. 1796, Samuel Martin, b. Goffstown, N. H., 1759; d. 26 Nov. 1847; son of Jonathan and Sarah (Quinby) Martin, Bradford, Vt.

Children:

i ROSWELL S., b. —— 1806; d. —— at sea; m. Lydia Hadley, Weare, N. H.; lived at Sandwich, N. H.; 6 chn.
ii SOLON, b. 8 July 1808, Hanover, N. H.; d. 9 Nov. 1878, W. Fairlee, Vt.; m. (1) Eliza Dascomb, (2) Mrs. Nancy (Darrah) Colby; Congregational minister; 7 chn.
iii CAROLINE, b. —— 1814; d. ——; m. 6 Apr. 1842, Rev. Charles Boswell, Corinth.
iv MARIA, b. abt. 1818; d. Sept. 1848; m. 25 Feb. 1845, W. Fairlee, Benjamin Niles.

Samuel Martin's first wife is given as Sarah Collins. She had two children, Abigail and Mary. There are four others, Betsy, Louisa, Samuel Jr., and Jesse, but no birth dates for these have been found, so that whether they are the children of Sarah Collins or of Lois Calef is in question.

97 JOSEPH (Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; Washington, Vt.; b. 3 Jan. 1773, Kingston,

N. H.; d. 24 July 1824, Salisbury; m. 12 Nov. 1795, Esther Stevens, b. 12 May 1773, Salisbury; d. 12 Nov. 1859, Washington; dau. of Major Ebenzer and —— Stevens.

Children born at Washington:

199 i CUTTING STEVENS, b. 27 Nov. 1796.
200 ii BENJAMIN PETTINGILL, b. 21 Oct. 1798.
201 iii NANCY, b. 15 March 1801.
202 iv HANNAH, b. 1 Dec. 1802.
203 v NEHEMIAH STORY, b. 27 March 1804.
204 vi JOSEPH, b. 17 Dec. 1805.
vii WILLIAM, b. 13 Nov. 1807; d. 17 Aug. 1828.
viii WARREN HARRISON, b. 28 July 1810; d. "ae 14."
205 ix HIRAM, b. 30 Dec. 1813.
206 x ELEANOR, b. 15 March 1815.
207 xi ESTHER, b. 28 Aug. 1816.

In the Washington, Vt., town records is this note which reveals something of Joseph. He may have been swearing off church taxes for it reads: "I do not agree in religious opinion with the majority of the inhabitants of this parish, as the case may be."

98 HANNAH (Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 4 Nov. 1774, Kingston, N. H.; d. 1851; m. 7 Feb. 1797, Ezra Meloon, b. 1771; d. ——; son of Nathaniel and Bathsheba Meloon.

Children:

i NATHANIEL, d. young.
ii JOHN, d. young.
iii HANNAH, d. young.
iv EZRA, b. 10 July 1809; d. 22 Sept. 1866; m. 23 July 1835, Lucinda Tucker; no chn.

99 REBECCA (Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Hanover, N. H.; b. 26 Jan. 1779, Kingston, N. H.; d. 17 Sept. 1836, Hanover; m. 25 Oct. 1798, John Huntoon, b. 15 July 1773, Kingston; d. 26 Nov. 1838, Andover, Ill.; son of Benjamin and —— (Webster) Huntoon.

Children born at Hanover:

i PHILIP, b. 24 Feb. 1799; m. 4 May 1820, Polly Eaton, Enfield, N. H.

ii HANNAH, b. 29 Jan. 1801; d. 1851; m. (1) 1827, Moses Martin, Bradford, Vt.; (2) James Manning, Illinois.
iii JOHN, b. 18 Dec. 1802; m. 19 Oct. 1827, May P. Eaton, Iowa.
iv SARAH, b. 14 May 1804; d. 28 Aug. 1823.
v MARY, b. 16 Jan. 1806; m. John Wright, Illinois.
vi NATHANIEL, b. 22 Dec. 1807; d. 1854, Illinois; m. Sally Paddleford.
vii JOSEPH, b. April 1812; m. Sylvia Tenney, Illinois.
viii JONATHAN, b. 18 Nov. 1815; m. Mary Paddleford.

These children settled in Iowa and Illinois.

100 DOROTHY (Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Kingston, and Warner, N. H.; b. 24 April 1781, Kingston; d. ——, Warner; m. 5 April 1803, Salisbury, N. H., Asa Sargent, of Warner.

Children:
i BETSEY.
ii LOUISA.

101 BENJAMIN (Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 13 July 1786, Kingston, N. H.; d. 18 May 1854; m. 13 July 1815, Salisbury, Rachel Blaisdell, b. 20 Oct. 1791; d. 4 Sept. 1872, Concord, N. H.; dau. of Major Isaac Blaisdell.

Children:
208 i MOSES B., b. 3 May 1816.
ii HANNAH, b. 19 Aug. 1818; d. 24 March 1821.
209 iii CAROLINE M., b. 6 April 1821.
210 iv JOSEPH W., b. 2 Aug. 1825.
211 v BENJAMIN PETTINGILL, b. 18 Sept. 1827.
vi ALFRED K., b. 3 Aug. 1830.
vii HANNAH M., b. 16 Aug. 1834; d. 6 June 1858; unm.
212 viii LUCY J., b. 18 Jan. 1836.

102 RUTH (James, James, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; b. 10 March 1777, Kingston; d. 16 Sept. 1821, South Berwick, Me.; m. Jan. 1802, Portsmouth, N. H., William Lord, b. abt. 1780; d. 4 Nov. 1822; son of William and —— (Grant) Lord.

Children:
i THOMAS, b. Jan. 1804; d. July 1805.

ii MARIA, b. 26 April 1805; m. R. F. Haley, New London, Ct.; no chn.; adopted dau.
iii MATTHEW, b. 10 Dec. 1808; m. 5 April 1835, Jane Scofield, East Bridgewater, Ct.(?); 6 chn.
iv WILLIAM HENRY, b. Jan. 1812; m. 17 Aug. 1862, Maggie Harvey, Bridgeport, Ct.
v WENTWORTH CALEF, b. 28 Oct. 1814; of Boston; unm.

103 BENJAMIN (James, James, John, Robert) of Bridgeport, Ct.; b. 13 June 1786, Dover, N. H.; d. 9 May 1855, Bridgeport; m. abt. 1818, Susannah Ells, b. 3 Aug. 1784; d. 28 Oct. 1863; dau. of Joseph and Susanna (Brown) Ells, New Haven, Conn.

Children:

i BENJAMIN, b. 3 Oct. 1820; m. 3 Dec. 1844, Sarah Beardsley; farmer, Greenfield, Ct.; no chn.
213 ii THOMAS, b. 12 April 1822.

104 ZACHARIAH WATERS (James, James, John, Robert) of Bridgeport, Glastonbury, and East Hampton, Ct.; b. 5 May 1791, Dover, N. H.; d. June 1871, East Hampton; m. 1827, Glastonbury, Mary Livsay Ward, b. 1802; d. 13 Aug. 1863, East Hampton; dau. of Abijah and Elizabeth (Livsay) Ward, Glastonbury.

Children:

i MARY ANN, b. 5 April 1828; d. young.
214 ii GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 4 March 1829.
215 iii HARRIET NEWELL, b. 16 June 1833.
iv ELIZABETH JANE, b. 10 May 1843, Williamsburg, N. Y.; d. March 1868, Hartford, Ct.; unm.

When twenty, Zachariah did fourteen months' service in the War of 1812. He was a publisher of subscription books in Bridgeport and one of his ventures was an edition of *Pilgrim's Progress* and *The Holy War,* printed in 1829. He is said to have visited nearly every New England town, delivering these books to the subscribers.

105 ABIGAIL (Daniel, James, John, Robert) of Rochester, N. H.; b. 24 June 1780, Rochester; d. 20 March 1834, Rochester; m. 1803, Rochester, William Pickering, b. 12 Dec. 1778, Newington, N. H.; d. 10 June 1838; son of James and Mercy (Gowan) Pickering.

Children:

i JUDITH, b. 2 Dec. 1804; d. 9 June 1836; unm.

ii ANNA, b. 18 Oct. 1806; m. 30 Oct. 1842, Noah Jenness, Rochester.

iii DANIEL CALEF, b. 18 May 1808; d. 13 Nov. 1840; m. Catharine Randall.

iv SUSAN W., b. 11 Dec. 1810; lived in Dover, N. H.

v DRUSILLA, b. 2 March 1812; m. March 1834, Paul Jewett.

vi MATHILDA CHESLEY, b. 19 June 1814; m. Franklin Martin; lived in Lowell, Mass.

vii ELIZABETH ADALINE, b. 12 July 1817; lived in Dover.

106 JAMES (Daniel, James, John, Robert) of Rochester, N. H.; b. 16 Dec. 1783, Rochester, d. 11 Oct. 1868; m. 7 June 1804, Lois Pickering, b. 2 Nov. 1780, Newington; d. 8 April 1859; dau. of James and Mercy (Gowan) Pickering.

Children:

i ANN, b. 13 Sept. 1806; d. 26 Feb. 1836.

ii ELIZABETH, b. 29 March 1813; m. 4 Nov. 1849, John Holt, Rochester.

107 JOHN (Daniel, James, John, Robert) of Rochester, N. H.; bp. 23 April 1789, Rochester; d. 20 Dec. 1837, Rochester; m. 3 March 1808, New Durham, N. H., Elizabeth Burnham, b. 30 May 1788, Farmington, N. H.; d. 9 Nov. 1867, Farmington; dau. of Enoch and Tryphena (Berry) Burnham.

Children:

216 i TRYPHENA BURNHAM, b. 27 Nov. 1808.

ii SARAH ANN, b. 30 May 1811; d. 1 April 1817.

217 iii MARY JANE, b. 25 Oct. 1813.

iv NATHANIEL BURNHAM, b. 2 July 1816; d. 1 April 1896, Dedham, Mass.; unm.

218 v JOHN SCRIBNER, b. 17 May 1824.

219 vi JAMES, b. 2 Dec. 1826.

vii GEORGE WHITEFIELD, b. 25 Dec. 1830; d. 28 Aug. 1865, Rochester; m. 2 Jan. 1852, Rochester, Charlotte A. Avery, b. Epsom, N. H.; no chn.

John served in the War of 1812, in the 1st N. H. Cavalry.

George Whitefield served in the Civil War in the 1st N. H. Cavalry.

108 SUSAN (Daniel, James, John, Robert) of Farmington, N. H.; b. 30 Nov. 1789, Rochester, N. H.; d. ——; m. 25 Feb. 1808, Stephen Wingate, b. 23 July 1788; d. Nov. 1865; son of Edmund and Lois (Berry) Wingate.

Children:

i JOHN A., b. 14 Aug. 1809; d. Feb. 1853; m. Abigail Berry.
ii DANIEL C., b. 29 Dec. 1810; d. Sept. 1868; unm.
iii LOUISA ANN, b. 14 March 1816; m. Ira Wyatt, Farmington, N. H.
iv POLLY D., b. 8 Sept. 1818; m. Asa H. Littlefield, Dover, N. H.
v STEPHEN B., b. 20 Nov. 1821; m. Mary Parker, Chelsea, Mass.
vi ABIGAIL, b. 7 April 1824; m. Joseph T. S. Libby, Dover; 1 ch.
vii WILLIAM, b. 1 Jan. 1830; m. (1) Nancy Morrison; (2) Lydia Preston, Newburyport, Mass.
viii LYMAN, b. 21 July 1832; d. Nov. 1856; unm.

109 WILLIAM (Daniel, James, John, Robert) of Alton, N. H.; bp. 12 July 1795, Rochester, N. H.; d. 14 Aug. 1858, Alton; m. ——, Alton, Nancy Rogers.

Children:

i DANIEL, b. ——; d. ——, Ipswich, Mass.; unm.
ii SAMUEL, b. ——; d. before 1855, Ipswich; unm.
iii MARY ANN, b. ——; d. 2 Nov. 1854, Wolfborough, N. H.; m. Daniel Knight.

110 JOHN (John, King, John, Robert) of Beverly and Salem, Mass.; Portland, Me.; b. 21 June 1776, probably Castine, Me.; d. 19 May 1865, Cape Elizabeth, Me.; m. 30 Dec. 1798, Beverly, Mary Prince Allen, b. 25 May 1773, Beverly; d. 25 Jan. 1844; dau. of David (Davis) and Charity (Prince) (Leroy) Allen.

Children born at Beverly:

220 i ELIZABETH PORTER, b. 30 Dec. 1799.

ii MARY, b. 5 July 1802; m. (1) John Starbird of Westbrook, Me.; (2) Moses Davis of Lewiston; no chn.

Children born at Salem:

iii JOHN ALLEN, bp. 5 Aug. 1804; d. 10 July 1824, at sea.

iv DAVID ALLEN, b. 14 Oct. 1806; d. 27 Jan. 1823, at sea.

v. WILLIAM, b. 12 April 1809; m. Sarah D. (Chandler) Russell; no chn.

Children born probably at Portland, Me.:

221 vi HARRIET, b. 15 Feb. 1813.

222 vii FRANCES ANN, b. 5 Aug. 1815.

viii ALLEN, b. 15 Sept. 1818; d. 4 Oct. 1818.

John was for many years master of a coasting vessel, sailing from Boston to Maine ports, and from Portland up the Kennebec River. He died at the home of his son William.

111 ELIZABETH (Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert) of Salisbury, and Concord, N. H.; b. 8 July 1795, Canaan, N. H.; d. ——; m. 30 Dec. 1819, Lyman, Me., Capt. True George, b. 25 Feb. 1798, Salisbury; d. 21 Sept. 1872, Concord; son of Stephen and Eunice (True) (Morrill) George.

Children born at Salisbury:

i ELIZABETH HEMMINGWAY, b. 18 Nov. 1820; m. 31 Dec. 1846, William Parsons, Salisbury.

ii MARY CALEF, b. 27 April 1822; m. 15 Sept. 1852, Isaac C. Flanders, Manchester, N. H.

iii LUCY TRUE, b. 10 Nov. 1823; m. 5 Aug. 1843, John Sidney Russ, Concord, N. H.

iv ERASTUS BALDWIN, b. 17 Dec. 1825; d. 6 Feb. 1863; m. 10 April 1850, Mattie Clark; lived Ogdensburg, N. Y.

v NANCY COFFIN, b. 5 Dec. 1827; m. 27 July 1850, George Fitch, Concord.

vi JANE CALEF, b. 4 Aug. 1832; d. 15 Nov. 1832.

vii EDSON CUMMINGS, b. 4 July 1833; m. 5 Sept. 1864, Frank McQuestion, N. Y. City.

viii AUSTIN TRUE, b. 31 March 1837; d. 12 Aug. 1837.

112 JONATHAN SEARS (Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert) of Milo, Me.; Boston, Mass.; San Francisco, Cal.; b. 14 Oct. 1806, Lyman, Me.; d. 21 Feb. 1866, San Francisco; m. (1) 15 Feb. 1831, Acton, Me., Almira Alice

Buck, b. 14 Aug. 1811; d. 17 Dec. 1845, Manchester, N. H.; dau. of Reuben Buck; (2) 1848, Lowell, Mass., Henrietta S. Chadwell, d. aet. 90 years, Los Angeles, Cal.

Children by wife Almira:

223 i CHARLES EDWIN, b. 21 April 1837.
224 ii MARY BUCK, b. 8 Sept. 1840.
225 iii FRANCES ADELAIDE, b. 20 May 1842.

Jonathan Sears kept on moving till he finally settled down in California. He graduated at Dartmouth, 1787, and studied medicine with Dr. Reuben Buck of Acton, Me. He began practice in Milo, Me., then came back to Acton, perhaps on the death of his wife's father. However in two years he is in Manchester, then Boston. In 1855 with his second wife and his three children, then in their teens, he goes to California and begins practice in San Francisco, while it is still a gold fever town and Dartmouth College men rare. The eldest son settled in Oregon.

113 RHODA ATWOOD (Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert) of Lyman, Portland and Fairfield, Me.; b. 15 Nov. 1815, Lyman; d. ——; m. 2 Oct. 1850, Portland, Joshua Freeman, b. 14 Oct. 1797; d. 11 Oct. 1855; son of Barnabas and Rhoda (Atwood) Freeman, Fairfield, Me.

Children:

i MARY ADELAIDE, b. 20 Jan. 1852.
ii GEORGE CALEF, b. 15 Oct. 1853.

114 JOHN LOW (Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert) of Lyman, Me.; North Reading and Haverhill, Mass.; Ohio; b. 20 Aug. 1818, Lyman; d. ——, m. 15 Oct. 1843, Laura Ann Davis, b. 23 April 1826; d. ——, Limington, Me.; dau. of Joseph and Phebe (Small) Davis, Wilmington, Mass.

Children:

i GEORGE GREENLEAF, b. 27 Sept. 1844; m. Mabel Reynolds, Lynn, Mass.
ii EMILY ANN, b. 23 June 1847; d. young.
iii ABBY ELIZABETH, b. 11 June 1849; d. 1 Aug. 1868; unm.
226 iv LAURA JANE, b. 6 April 1852.

v JULIA MARIA, b. 29 April 1854; d. young.
vi JULIA ANN, b. 7 July 1856; d. unm.
vii JOHN WASHINGTON, b. 22 Feb. 1858.

The eldest son, George Greenleaf, served over two years in the Civil War, Company C, the Ohio regiment, Heavy Artillery, being discharged at the end of the war.

115 SARAH HERRICK (Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert) of Biddeford, Maine; b. 10 June 1823, Lyman, Me.; d. ——; m. 13 Aug. 1843, Lyman, John Ricker, b. 3 April 1823, at Acton, Me.; d. ——; son of Nathaniel and Mehitable (Tibbets) Ricker.

Children:

i GEORGIANNA, b. 16 Jan. 1845; m. 21 Nov. 1861, Joshua M. Young, Acton.
ii JOSEPHINE, b. 7 Oct. 1847; m. 1 Sept. 1869, Horace J. Bodell, Lynn, Mass.
iii JOHN ALBERT, b. 17 March 1850; d. 25 Aug. 1851.
iv GRACE, b. 16 Nov. 1851.
v JOHN ALBERT, b. 25 July 1853; d. 27 Sept. 1854.
vi EMMA, b. 16 May 1855; d. 15 Sept. 1871.
vii WILBUR LINCOLN, b. 10 Nov. 1859; d. 3 Oct. 1861.

116 JAMES (Joseph, Joseph, John, Robert) of Chester (Auburn), N. H.; b. 14 April 1792, Chester; d. 25 July 1858, Chester; m. (1) 10 July 1827, Susan Haines Weeks, b. 26 Aug. 1788, Chester; d. 27 Oct. 1842; dau. of William and Susan (Haines) Weeks; (2) 16 April 1845, Susan (Reed) Demerit (widow, Asa Demerit), b. 18 Feb. 1816, Westford, Mass.

Child by wife Susan Weeks:

227 i CHARLES WEEKS, b. 5 April 1829.

Child by wife Susan Demerit:

ii FRANCES, b. 26 Oct. 1848; m. Moses B. Davis.

James Calef lived in the house of his grandfather, Joseph (22), on the road from Candia to Bunker Hill, N. H. He was a farmer and a schoolteacher, and served in Capt. Samuel Aiken's company in the War of 1812.

117 JOSEPH (Joseph, Joseph, John, Robert) of Chester (Auburn), N. H.; b. 1794, Chester; d. 24 July 1872;

m. 5 May 1834, Mary B. Underhill, b. 1 April 1810, Chester; d. 9 Aug. 1845; dau. of James and Elizabeth (Chase) Underhill.

Child:

i FRANKLIN, b. 5 Oct. 1837.

Joseph "Calfe" is on the roll of a company from the 17th New Hampshire Regiment, that served in the defense of Portsmouth Harbor in 1814.

118 ELIZA (Joseph, Joseph, John, Robert) of Chester (Auburn), and Manchester, N. H.; b. 20 Feb. 1803, Chester; d. 24 Aug. 1871; m. 11 Nov. 1822, David Emerson, b. 22 Oct. 1790, Chester; d. 27 May 1854; son of James and Elizabeth (Corlis) Emerson.

Children born in Chester:

i GEORGE W. E., b. 15 Mch. 1824; d. 8 May 1864, Newbern, N. C.; m. 10 Feb. 1851, Sarah Ames.
ii ISAIAH, b. 10 Nov. 1825; d. 25 Aug. 1836.
iii DANIEL, b. 20 Mch. 1827; d. 12 Oct. 1853, Chester; m. 5 Nov. 1850, Eliza Bailey.
iv ISAIAH, b. 27 Sept. 1828; m. Oct. 1851, Zelmah Leach, Manchester, N. H.; 4 chn.
v LIZZIE J., b. 15 Oct. 1830; m. 14 Aug. 1854, Thorndyke P. Heath.
vi CHARLES, b. 21 Jan. 1833; d. 30 Aug. 1837.
vii HATTIE N., b. 15 Nov. 1834; m. 6 Mch. 1857, Wm. D. Chase; 1 ch.
viii EPHRAIM, b. 21 Oct. 1836; d. 25 June 1837.
ix MATTIE T., b. 6 Oct. 1838; unm.

119 BETSY (David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Ponkapoag, Canton, Mass.; b. 22 Aug. 1794, Chester, N. H.; d. ——; m. 29 Nov. 1827, Ebenezer Crane, b. ——; d. 21 Oct. 1849.

Children:

i ELIJAH CALEF, b. 1 Oct. 1828; m. Abby Taylor.
ii EMELINE, b. 25 Nov. 1829.
iii JOHN NEWTON, b. 5 Aug. 1831; m. at San Francisco.
iv CALVIN MARTIN, b. 4 Dec. 1832.
v SARAH AUGUSTA, b. 24 June 1834; m. Edgar W. Bray, Cincinnati, Ohio.
vi MARY ANN, b. 20 Feb. 1836; m. (1) Walter Glover, (2) Clement Sumner.

120 JOHN (David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Goff's Falls and Manchester, N. H.; b. 10 Jan. 1797, Chester, N. H.; d. 31 Dec. 1881, Manchester; m. 20 July 1825, Eliza Webster, b. 7 Oct. 1804.

Children born at Goffs Falls:

228 i RUFUS, b. 27 Feb. 1826.
ii ELIZA JANE, b. 29 March 1829.
229 iii MARY ANN, b. 1 Oct. 1832.
230 iv CAROLINE, b. 17 May 1838.
v SARAH HARRIET, b. 23 Oct. 1848; d. 14 Jan. 1856.

Judge John was a farmer on a large scale at Goff's Falls near Manchester. He was an old-time Whig, one of the founders of the Republican Party, and represented his town in the legislature.

121 STEPHEN (David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Dorset, Vt.; New York; Indiana; Lima, Ill.; Hurdland, Mo.; b. 10 Aug. 1798, Londonderry, N. H.; d. 12 May 1884, Hurdland; m. (1) 4 April 1822, Grafton, Vt., Sally (Phila) Stearns, b. 7 July 1797; d. ——; dau. of Jonathan and Joanna Stearns, Grafton, Vt.; (2) Jemima Lindsey (widow); no chn.

Children by wife Sally:

231 i JOHN, b. 22 May 1823, Grafton.

Children born in New York:

ii JOHNATHAN, b. 18 Dec. 1825.
iii ALBERT AUSTIN, b. 5 Jan. 1830; d. 5 Aug. 1907, Brashear, Mo.; chn.

Children born in Indiana:

iv LOVINA, b. 14 April 1833.
v HYRUM, b. 3 Jan. 1835; d. Placerville, Cal., buried Sacramento; m. ——; no chn.
vi GEORGE, b. 18 Jan. 1838; d. at two years.
vii MARY JANE, b. 16 March 1840.

The following account of Stephen Calef, his son and grandson, "My Ancestors," was written for a Carthage, Ill., High School competition by a great-great-grandson, Merlin Calef. Information on the family comes through the research of Charles Carter Calef and "Aunt Lovina's Bible."

"My great-great-grandfather, Stephen Calef, a descendant of Robert Calef, was born at Londonderry, near Goff's Falls, New Hampshire, in 1798. At the age of twenty he moved just across the Connecticut River into Vermont with his father, David. Here Stephen and his brothers helped their father clear one hundred acres of land for farming. They experienced many dangers and hardships of frontier life. David wrote: 'One night a large bear entered our sheep pen near the house, seized a choice mutton and lugged it off.'

"In 1834 Stephen Calef pushed on westward into Indiana, where he became a great hunter and fisher. He remained in this part of the country until 1840. In that year he and his family, now consisting of his wife and four boys, Austin, Hyrum, Jonathan, and John, pushed on westward into Illinois, where there were 'more deer and buffalo.' He settled near what is now the county line between Hancock and Adams counties on Lima Lake, then a great body of water. During the years from 1845 to 1866 Stephen had a large fishery on this lake.

"After the Civil War in 1866 Stephen, seized with the spirit of roving, moved into Missouri. He became a good carpenter, and he and his sons built many homes in northeastern Missouri. Stephen Calef lived in this part of the country until his death in 1882, having reached the ripe age of eighty-five summers.

"Stephen Calef's sons became greatly separated. Jonathan started for California in the rush for gold with but twenty-five dollars in his possession. Much later Hyrum and Austin settled in Kansas and Nebraska respectively, while John, my great-grandfather, stayed at home in Missouri.

"John Califf (as he decided to spell his name) was born in Vermont in 1823. He came west with his father Stephen and, unlike the rest of his brothers, settled down and became a farmer in Illinois. At an early age he married Ann Spenser of Culpepper County, Virginia, to whom was born six children, four boys and two girls. There is nothing outstanding about my great-grandfather for he led a simple life of a farmer. He died in 1896 on his farm in western Illinois.

"John Albert Califf, 'Grandpa,' was born in Rocky Run township, Hancock county, Illinois, March 5, 1852, a son of John and Ann (Spenser) Califf. He passed his boyhood there and in Knox County, Missouri, engaged in farming. Later he taught in the schools in Knox County, then he re-

turned to Hancock County and taught in Lima and Tioga from 1874 till 1889. In 1890 John Califf became superintendent of schools in Hancock County, holding this position for twelve years. He was the pioneer in the advancement of learning in Hancock County. He secured uniformity of school books, established the state course of study, and held central and final examinations and graduating exercises in the grades.

"In the year 1907 John A. Califf was elected to the 45th General Assembly of Illinois as a representative from the thirty-second district. While in the legislature he introduced and secured the passage of the Free High School law."

122 MARY (David, Joseph, John, Robert) of ——; b. 18 June 1800, Londonderry, N. H. (?); d. ——; m. John Austin, of Boscawen, N. H.

Children:

i MARY JANE, b. 31 May 1829; m. Elias Smith, Salisbury; 2 chn.

ii ELIZA ANN, b. 6 Feb. 1831; m. Jeremiah Chadwick, Boscawen; 3 chn.

123 NANCY (David, Joseph, John, Robert) of ——; b. 9 April 1802, Londonderry, N. H. (?); d. ——; m. Newton Stillman Converse.

Children:

i NANCY LORING.

ii ROSANNAH.

iii JOHN.

iv NEWTON.

v ALONZO.

vi ABBY JULIETT.

124 RUTH (David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Tewkesbury, Mass.; b. 1 April 1804, Londonderry, N. H.; d. ——; m. William Mackintosh, of Andover, Mass.

Children:

i WILLIAM AUGUSTUS.

ii MARIETTA.

iii JOSEPH GUSTAVUS.

iv ELIZABETH.

v JEREMIAH AUSTIN.

vi HENRY HARRISON.

vii SUSANNAH.

viii JOHN.

125 JOHNATHAN (David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Keene, N. H., and Fitchburg, Mass.; b. 11 May 1807, Londonderry or Manchester, N. H.; d. 14 Aug. 1861, Washington, D. C.; m. 23 Sept. 1829, Grafton, Vt., by Elder Sweet, Esther Converse, b. 10 Feb. 1809; d. ——; dau. of Robert and Edna (Hale) Converse, Grafton.

Children:

232 i MARY EDNA, b. 2 Sept. 1834.
233 ii DAVID ROBERT, b. 22 Nov. 1836.
234 iii ELIZA WEBSTER, b. 23 Aug. 1839.
iv BENJAMIN BRAYBROOK, b. 7 Jan. 1843; m. (1) —— Whitney; (2) Nellie Marvin of Keene, N. H.
v WILLIAM WINCHESTER, b. 11 Aug. 1844; m. Martha E. Benton.
vi ABBY ESTHER, b. 29 May 1847.
vii MARTHA ELLA, b. 14 Oct. 1853; m. Willard H. Ellis.

Johnathan was fifty-four when the Civil War broke. He volunteered in the 2nd N. H. Regiment, Co. A, but never reached the front. By a cruel chance he was "accidentally shot by a sentry" in Washington. The son, William Winchester, served in the army.

126 SARAH (David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Buena Vista, Wis.; b. 27 Dec. 1808, Londonderry, N. H. (?); d. ——; m. John Patterson.

Children:

i POLLY AMELIA.
ii BETSY ANN.
iii MARY ATLANTA.
iv HENRY HARRISON.

127 LUCY (Daniel, Daniel, Jeremiah, Robert) of Dorchester and Boston, Mass.; b. 15 Oct. 1775; d. 22 Sept. 1807; m. 18 Sept. 1796, Deacon Elisha Hunt, b. ——; d. 24 June 1845; son of Ephriam and Delight (Mann) Hunt.

Children:

i SAMUEL DEARING, b. 1 Oct. 1797; d. 1834.
ii JOHN, b. 26 June 1799; m. (1) 18 Nov. 1828, Abigail W. Esty; (2) 12 Aug. 1830, Elizabeth G. Whiting;

(3) 25 Oct. 1846, Sarah J. Symmes, Southborough; 6 chn.

iii DANIEL, b. June 1802; m. John Shepard, North Providence.

iv ELIZABETH DYER, b. 2 Feb. 1805; m. 13 April 1826, Warren Boles, Boston.

128 POLLY CLARKE (Daniel, Daniel, John, Robert) of Boston and Charlestown, Mass.; bp. 28 July 1776; d. ——; m. 17 Oct. 1804, Robert Sisson.

Children:

i MARY S., b. 18 Sept. 1805; m. John McCalvin, Lowell.

ii ROBERT S., b. 11 March 1807.

iii HANNAH CALEF, b. 15 May 1809.

iv WILLIAM BATES, b. 3 Aug. 1811; m. Mary Farnsworth Curtis, Hanover.

v FRANCES S., b. 30 March 1813.

vi SARAH B., b. 13 Dec. 1816; m. John Higgins.

vii GEORGE HENRY, b. 12 Feb. 1818.

William Wallace Lunt, the compiler of the pamphlet, "Robert Calef and Some of His Descendants," the forerunner of the present work, is the grandson of William Bates Sisson.

129 ELIZABETH (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Laconia, N. H., and Union (?), N. Y.; b. abt. 1771, Exeter, N. H.; d. ——; m. 18 July 1790, Deacon John Smith.

Children born at Laconia:

i SAMUEL, b. ——; surveyor; settled in New York.

ii Daughter.

130 HANNAH (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Exeter and Laconia, N. H.; b. abt. 1771, Exeter; d. 12 Sept, 1848; m. 14 Jan. 1792, Exeter, Robert Bond, b. 1768; d. 20 Nov. 1821.

Children born at Exeter:

i HANNAH, b. ——; m. John Horn, who changed his name to Haven; chn.

ii JOSEPH, b. ——; m. ——: Nichols; chn.

iii BETSY, b. ——; unm.

iv OLIVER, b. ——; went West.

131 JAMES (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, N. H., and Union, N. Y.; b. abt. 1773, Exeter, N. H.; d. before 1859; m. 18 Feb. 1795, Betsy Calley, b. 10 Feb. 1772; d. 5 Aug. 1859; dau. of Richard and Betsy (Stevens) Calley.

Children born at Sanbornton:

235 i RICHARD CALLEY, b. 15 Sept. 1796.
236 ii EDWARD STEPHEN, b. 1798.
237 iii HEZEKIAH, b. 3 Sept. 1801.
iv JOSEPH, b. Oct. 1803.
238 v DOROTHY, b. 15 Sept. 1812.

The son Joseph lived in Boston and in New York. It is supposed that he died in New Orleans, since he sailed for that port in 1825 and was never again heard from.

132 ESTHER (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Piermont, N. H.; b. abt. 1774, Exeter, N. H.; d. ——; m. Joseph (?) Fifield.

Child:

i WASHINGTON.

133 SAMUEL (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Richford, Vt., and Sanbornton, N. H.; b. 24 March 1776, Exeter, N. H.; d. 5 June 1866, Sanbornton; m. (1) Anna Sanborn, b. 30 March 1778; d. 6 June 1850; dau. of Josiah and Lucy (Swan) Sanborn; (2) July 1852, Catherine (Cummings) Cheney (widow of Daniel Cheney) of Sanbornton; d. 23 Sept. 1858, Campton, N. H.

Children born at Richford:

239 i JOSIAH SANBORN, b. Sept. 1801.
240 ii OLIVER, b. 28 Aug. 1803.
iii LUCY, b. abt. 1805; d. abt. 1869; m. Alvah Phelps, Dover, N. H.; no chn.
241 iv SAMUEL } b. 12 Feb. 1807.
242 v ANN }

Children born at Sanbornton:

243 vi WILLIAM SANBORN } b. 1812.
244 vii SARAH SANBORN }

134 LUCY (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton and Campton, N. H.; b. 19 Feb. 1778, Exeter, N. H.; d. 15 March 1829, Campton; m. 15 March 1801, Daniel Cheney, b. 26 June 1770, Haverhill, Mass.; d. 18 Dec. 1849; son of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Cheney. He m. (2) Catharine Cummings (no chn.).

Children:

i JONATHAN H., b. 1 June 1802; d. 16 Dec. 1862, Bonapart, Iowa; m. 17 May 1821, Lydia Tuttle.

ii OLIVER, b. 27 Dec. 1803; m. Lydia Moulton.

iii RUTH, b. 14 July 1805; m. 29 Nov. 1830, Benjamin Stokes Tuttle, Meredith, N. H.

135 SALLY (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, N. H.; b. 18 June 1780. Exeter, N. H.; d. 12 Feb. 1866, Sanbornton; m. 2 May 1797, Sanbornton, Deacon John Woodman, b. 1 Feb. 1769, Lee, N. H.; d. 30 Oct. 1865, Sanbornton; son of Capt. Joshua and Lois (Woodman) Woodman.

Children:

i STEPHEN, b. 25 Sept. 1798; d. 28 June 1837; m. Judith Marsh, Rumney, N. H.

ii SUSANNA, b. 28 Mch. 1800; d. 24 Nov. 1818; m. Saml. Shores, Sanbornton.

iii JOSHUA, b. 20 Feb. 1802; m. (1) Almira Johnson, (2) Martha Huckings, Strafford, N. H.

iv LOIS, b. 25 Dec. 1803; m. Enoch Hoyt, Gilford, N. H.
v ELIZA, b. 25 Dec. 1803; m. Abel R. Eastman, Meredith.

vi SAMUEL, b. 6 Oct. 1805; m. Mary Keniston, Orangeville, Mich.

vii JOHN, b. 4 Feb. 1808; d. 22 July 1830, Brighton, Mich.

viii IRA, b. 27 Dec. 1810; m. (1) Phebe Morrison, (2) Betsy J. Wiggin, Sanbornton.

ix SALLY, b. 12 Dec. 1812; m. Barnard H. Smith.
x Infant, unnamed, b. 12 Dec. 1812; d. at birth.

xi CHARLES CHASE, b. 12 Nov. 1814; m. Martha Boody, Strafford, N. H.

xii NATHANIEL HART, b. 30 May 1817; m. Melinda Downs, Sparta Center, Mich.

xiii WILLIAM SANBORN, b. 11 July 1819; m. Mary A. Fox.

xiv MARY SANBORN, b. 29 July 1821; m. (1) James Eaton, (2) Harris Allen, Lebanon, N. H.

xv LAWRENCE C., b. 1 Mch. 1825; m. Mary Purrington, Owatonna City, Minn.

136 MEHITABLE (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Gilmanton, N. H.; b. 30 Aug. 1785, Exeter, N. H.; d. 7 Sept. 1872; m. 24 Jan. 1814, Joseph Burleigh jr., b. ——; d. ——; son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Ewer) Burleigh of Gilmanton.

Children:

i NATHANIEL EWER, b. 18 May 1817; drowned, 5 Apr. 1827.

ii DECATUR, b. 20 Aug. 1820: left home 1840; probably served in army in Mexican War.

iii JAMES CREIGHTON, b. 12 Nov. 1822; m. 11 July 1852, Catharine A. Cheney, Sanbornton.

iv HENRY PEARSON, b. 24 Feb. 1825; m. Lucia Page, Haverhill, Mass.

v STEPHEN PERRY, b. 24 Feb. 1825; d. infancy.

137 MARY (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Campton and Rumney, N. H.; b. abt. 1788, Exeter, N. H.; d. 13 Aug. 1823, Campton; m. 5 March 1818, Charles Chase, b. 14 April 1791, Campton; d. ——; son of Carr Chase of Newburyport, Mass.

Children:

i JOHN WOODMAN, b. 25 Feb. 1819; m. 23 July 1843, Emily P. Darling, Rumney.

ii SAMUEL R., b. 11 Jan. 1821; m. 5 Aug. 1852, Carlinda Foss, Rumney.

iii MARY, b. 7 Aug. 1822: m. 16 Oct. 1862, Peabody Palmer, Campton.

138 NANCY (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, Campton, Sandwich and Tamworth, N. H.; b. 18 May 1789, Exeter, N. H.; d. 26 Sept. 1869, Tamworth; m. 17 Nov. 1806, Exeter, Joseph James, b. 24 July 1783, Gilmanton, N. H.; d. 23 March 1848, Sandwich.

Children:

i DELILAH C., b. 14 Sept. 1807; m. Sept. 1825, Hiram Woodbury, Campton.

ii DANIEL C., b. 24 May 1809; m. 11 Oct. 1831, Eliza Holmes, Campton.

iii CYRUS B., b. 24 Feb. 1811; m. 24 Feb. 1846, Hannah Bryant, Libertyville, Ia.

iv ESTHER G., b. 7 Jan. 1813; m. 25 Dec. 1832, Wm. Mears, Jr., Campton.

v SALLY C., b. 21 Nov. 1815; m. 28 Oct. 1834, Lyman Haines, Campton.

vi JOSEPH, b. 31 Aug. 1818; m. 10 Aug. 1842, Sarah Sullivan, Moultonville, N. H.

vii SAMUEL H., b. 1 Oct. 1820; m. 29 Oct. 1843, Eliza J. Dow, Tamworth.

viii ABIGAIL, b. 6 May 1828; d. 9 Sept. 1847; unm.

ix DAVID B. M., b. 24 Nov. 1832; m. 6 Sept. 1852, Mary Hoit, Concord, N. H.

x JONATHAN C., b. 12 Oct. 1834; lost at sea, 1853.

139 OLIVER SMITH (Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton; Canaan, N. H.; Plymouth, Vt.; Lowell, Mass.; b. 9 Dec. 1791, Exeter, N. H.; d. 31 March 1863, Lowell; m. 20 Sept. 1812, Sanbornton, Lydia R. Copp, b. 22 Sept. 1789, Sanbornton; d. ——; dau. of Solomon and Jemima (Smart) Copp.

Children:

245 i EBENEZER KNOWLTON, b. 14 Nov. 1813.

ii ELIZABETH, b. 22 Oct. 1815; d. 22 March 1825.

246 iii ASA FOSTER, b. 27 Nov. 1818.

247 iv SOLOMON COPP, b. 8 Aug. 1820.

248 v ISAAC W., b. 31 Jan. 1823.

vi ROBERT SMART, b. 10 Jan. 1825; d. 22 Jan. 1836.

249 vii OLIVER SMITH, b. 4 March 1827.

viii ELIZABETH ANN, b. 3 March 1829; m. Albert Glines, W. Derby, Vt.

ix LYDIA RUNDLETT, b. 13 Sept. 1831; d. 24 Apr. 1861; m. Calvin Crocker, Lowell; no chn.

x JOHN WOODMAN, b. 18 Dec. 1833; d. 2 Sept. 1854.

xi CHARLES CHENEY, b. 28 Dec. 1835; d. 20 June 1855.

Two children, Elizabeth Ann and Lydia, were born at Plymouth, Vt.

140 MARY (Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton (Franklin), N. H.; b. 3 Jan. 1775, Exeter, N. H.; d. 15 Nov. 1848; m., Sanbornton, N. H., Abraham Thorne, b. 22 Dec. 1772, Sanbornton; d. 20 Aug. 1818; son of John Thorne.

Children born at Sanbornton:

i MARY, b. 12 Dec. 1798; d. Feb. 1863, Woburn, Mass.; m. June 1818, Lewis Lord; 8 chn.

ii LYDIA, b. 29 Nov. 1800; m. 29 March 1821, Ebenezer Swain, Wentworth, N. H.; 11 chn.

iii JEREMIAH, b. 9 Nov. 1802; d. 6 Feb. 1874, Franklin; m. (1), Hannah M. Prescott; (2) Matilda Jane Mason; 3 chn.; (3) Eunice Avery Noyes.

iv JAMES BRACKETT, b. 7 June 1805; d. 14 June 1838; m. 20 Jan. 1827, Lydia Cummings, Boston; 4 chn.

v JOHN, b. 13 Feb. 1807; d. abt. 1850; m. Mary Lawrence, Epping, N. H.; 1 son.

vi ELIZA, b. 11 May 1809; m. 27 Dec. 1838; Noah B. Brown, Sanbornton; 1 dau.

vii HANNAH B., b. 12 Sept. 1811; m. Nov. 1848, Lemuel Clark, Boston, Franklin; 1 dau.

viii RUFUS, b. 9 Sept. 1813; d. 14 Feb. 1889, Gardner, Kansas; m. ——; 7 chn.

ix NOAH EASTMAN, b. 3 May 1816; m. ——; went West abt. 1858; 4 dau.

141 JEREMIAH (Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, N. H.; b. 5 May 1782, Exeter, N. H.; d. 23 Feb. 1856, Northfield, N. H.; m. (1) 13 Sept. 1805, Sanbornton, Anna (Nancy) Osgood, b. 15 Aug. 1782; d. 10 March 1824, Sanbornton; dau. of James and Molly (Prescott) Osgood, Sanbornton; (2) 2 Sept. 1824, Sally Eastman, b. 1 Dec. 1797, Sanbornton; d. 26 Aug. 1850, Northfield; dau. of Ebenezer and Abigail (Barker) Eastman.

Children by wife Anna:

i JAMES OSGOOD, b. 5 Aug. 1806; d. 24 April 1835, Loudon, N. H.

ii SAMUEL PRESCOTT, b. 15 Aug. 1808; m. (1) Mehitable P. (Smith) Drew; (2) Martha A. Calef (Coburn) (253).

iii MARY ANN, b. Sept. 1812; d. 31 Aug. 1816.
iv Son, b. Sept. 1814; d. Sept. 1814.

Children by wife Sally:

250 v ARTHUR BENJAMIN, b. 30 June 1825.
vi ABIGAIL EASTMAN, b. 26 Feb. 1827; d. 4 July 1829.
vii JEREMIAH, b. 13 Dec. 1830; d. 11 Nov. 1833.
251 viii EBENEZER BARKER, b. 11 Aug. 1832.

The son Samuel Prescott began as a tanner and currier in Charlestown. After a few years he went back to New Hampshire, took up farming in Loudon and there married Mehitable P. (Smith) Drew. He served as selectman and for thirty-five years was justice of the peace. Late in life he went back to his birthplace, Sanbornton, and there was town treasurer. His second wife was a cousin, Martha A. (Calef) Coburn (253). He had no children.

142 JAMES (Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, N. H.; b. 28 Jan. 1785, Exeter, N. H.; d. 30 March 1856; m. 30 Nov. 1820, Sanbornton, "by Mr. Bodwell," Phebe Jewett, b. 18 Sept. 1790, Sanbornton; d. 7 Oct. 1877; dau. of Andrew and Mary (Piper) Jewett.

Children:

252 i MARY JANE, b. 24 Nov. 1822.
253 ii MARTHA ANN, b. 7 April 1827.
254 iii ANDREW JAMES, b. 23 April 1829.
iv JEREMIAH BRACKETT, b. 30 Dec. 1831; m. 25 April 1861, Susan B. Clark; no chn.

James lived in the homestead near Calef Hill. He was a member of the New Hampshire House of Representatives, 1887.

143 BETSY (Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, N. H.; b. 15 Oct. 1791, Sanbornton; d. 27 July 1873, Sanbornton; m. 4 Nov. 1813, Sanbornton, Noah Eastman, b. 6 Nov. 1784, Sanbornton; d. 9 Oct. 1851, Sanbornton; son of Ebenezer and Abigail (Barker) Eastman.

Children:

i ELIZABETH CALEF, b. 24 Oct. 1824; unm.

ii NOAH BARKER, b. 17 Jan. 1827; d. 29 Sept. 1863; m. 25 Dec. 1848, Martha M. Weir, Winchester, Mass.; 3 chn.

144 DOROTHY JEWETT (Jedediah, John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of ——; b. 26 Oct. 1801, Ipswich, Mass.; d. 24 Oct. 1825, Saco, Me.; m. John McMullin.

Child:

i MARY.

145 ROBERT (Jedediah, John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of Ipswich, Mass., and Niniger, Minn.; b. 16 May 1803, Ipswich; d. April 1860, Niniger; m. ——.

Child:

i ROBERT.

Robert was another of the Calef sea-captains. When he retired he followed his brothers and sisters to Minnesota.

146 SAMUEL (Jedediah, John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of St. George, N. B.; Niniger and Hastings, Minn.; b. 8 Feb. 1807, Ipswich, Mass.; d. ——; m. 22 March 1836, Penfield, N. B., Susan Justason, b. 31 May 1807, Penfield; d. ——; dau. of Justus and Susan (Chaffee) Justason.

Children:

i CATHARINE JANE, b. 15 Feb. 1837; d. 3 Nov. 1863, Niniger; unm.

255 ii SARAH ELIZABETH, b. 9 Sept. 1840.

iii DOROTHY JEWETT, b. 24 Nov. 1843.

147 PETER MOWATT (Jedediah, John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of Point Douglas, Minn.; Lone Pine and Riverside, Cal.; b. 8 Feb. 1818, St. George, N. B.; d. after 1877; m. 5 Feb. 1853, Point Douglas, Elizabeth Truax, b. 15 Feb. 1833, Montreal, Canada; dau. of Caleb and Elizabeth (Hendricks) Truax.

Children:

i HORTENSE, b. 5 May 1855.
ii CYLONA, b. 1 Oct. 1856; d. 20 Aug. 1857.
iii GEORGE PETER, b. 30 Oct. 1861.
iv SALMON LINCOLN, b. 30 May 1863; d. 20 Aug. 1865.
v EMMA VORILIA, b. 9 Jan. 1868.

148 MEHITABLE MILLER (Ebenezer Winter, Joseph, Joseph, Joseph, Robert) of Dorchester, Mass.; b. 3 Feb. 1803, Boston.; d. 14 March 1870; m. abt. 1831, Arnold William Coppenhagen (second wife); d. abt. 1857.

Children:

i ARNOLD WILLIAM, b. ——; d. unm.
ii MEHITABLE CALEF, b. ——; m. —— Wilson, Boston.
iii MARIA FRANCES, b. abt. 1836; d. abt. 1866; unm.
iv JOHN HENRY, b. ——.
v SARAH WINTER, b. abt. 1846; d. abt. 1867; unm.

Mehitable Calef Coppenhagen studied law and had charge of her mother's large property.

149 STEPHEN (Califf) (Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa.; b. 28 April 1788, Halifax, Vt.; d. 28 April 1874, Smithfield; m. 18 Aug. 1816, Matilda Perkins, b. 24 June 1801, Goshen, Ct.; d. 14 April 1881.

Child born at Goshen:

256 i LOUISA, b. 21 Aug. 1817.

Children born at Smithfield:

257 ii ISABEL, b. 15 June 1820.
iii HENRY, b. 23 Nov. 1822; d. 19 Sept. 1825.
258 iv EMILY A., b. 22 Aug. 1826.
v LAURA T., b. 11 Nov. 1829; m. (1) 29 Jan. 1855, Warren E. Brown; (2) —— Scott; no chn.
259 vi LOVILLA M., b. 21 March 1832.
vii MENSTER D., b. 17 April 1842; d. 6 March 1857.

Stephen and his brother Ezra set off in 1813 from Halifax, Vermont, to make their fortunes. They came on foot to Smithfield, Pennsylvania, all their possessions in their knapsacks. Each purchased one hundred and twenty acres on Bucks Creek, where eight years later they, with their younger brothers, Jonathan and Hosea, built a sawmill and a grist mill.

Stephen had held the rank of lieutenant in Vermont and he took active interest in the military affairs of this new settlement.

150 Ezra (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of East Smithfield, Pa.; Miami, Indiana; b. 9 May 1790, Halifax, Vt.; d. 1 May 1844, Miami; m. 7 April 1814, E. Smithfield, Samantha Mitchell, b. 19 Feb. 1792, Gloucester, R. I.; dau. of —— and Elizabeth (Smith) Mitchell.

Children born at Smithfield:

260 i Joanna, b. 17 Feb. 1815.
261 ii Lovisa, b. 10 Oct. 1816.
262 iii Lois, b. 16 June 1821.
263 iv Newell, b. 26 June 1823.
264 v Gilbert M., b. 27 Aug. 1828.

Ezra came with his brother Stephen to Smithfield before the rest of the family. Like his father, Stephen (73), the wanderlust came upon him again when he was nearing fifty, and, probably with their five children, he and Samantha went to break fresh land on the levels of Indiana and again build a frontiersman's house.

151 Ruth (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa.; b. 31 May 1792, Halifax, Vt.; d. 8 July 1857, Smithfield; m. 22 Sept. 1814, Halifax, Martin Hurlburt, b. 2 Sept. 1780, Suffield, Ct.; d. 31 May 1861, Smithfield; son of Zaccheus and Amy M. (Halladay) Hurlburt.

Children born at Smithfield:

i Elam, b. 2 July 1815; d. 14 Oct. 1838.
ii Elliot, b. 4 April 1818; d. Mound City, Mo.; m. (1) Mary Burlingame; (2) Jane Wood; 2 chn.
iii Cyrus, b. 24 Oct. 1824; m. 18 Feb. 1861, Mary A. Terry.

Ruth had married a few days before her family started on the journey to Pennsylvania. She and her husband were of the party of adventurers from Green River.

152 Jonathan (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa.; b. 2 May 1794, Hali-

fax, Vt.; d. 22 March 1871, Smithfield; m. (1) 11 Nov. 1819, Polly Chamberlain, b. 26 Feb. 1791, Dudley, Mass. (?); d. 10 April 1836; (2) 21 Aug. 1836, Mrs. Cynthia Orton, b. 10 Jan. 1805; d. 14 Oct. 1860.

Children by wife Polly:

265 i LINUS AUSTIN, b. 19 July 1822.
266 ii DAVID EMRI, b. 16 Feb. 1825.
iii L. CORILLA, b. 16 Jan. 1828; d. 3 March 1881.
267 iv OBED WARREN, b. 12 Oct. 1829.
v A. IRENE, b. 20 July 1832; m. 14 July 1849, Jonathan King, Waverly, N. Y.; 3 chn.
vi SAMUEL J., b. 15 March 1836.

153 JOEL (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa.; Illinois; Iowa; b. 10 Oct. 1796, Halifax, Vt.; d. March 1860, Iowa; m. 27 April 1821, Jane Salisbury, b. 11 April 1801, R. I.; d. 1887, Iowa.

Children:

268 i EDWIN BEEBE, b. 8 Feb. 1822.
ii HELEN MARIA, b. 28 March 1823; d. 1894; m. Seth R. Smead.
269 iii SAMUEL BRADFORD, b. 3 Feb. 1826.
270 iv JOEL MARK, b. 28 Oct. 1827.
271 v ADALIZA JANE, b. 13 Aug. 1829.
vi JOSEPH BADGER, b. 30 Sept. 1831; d. unm. Oregon City, Ore.
vii MARY A., b. 11 April 1834; m. —— Webster, Rosalia, Wash.; 5 chn.
272 viii JULIA ADELAIDE, b. 4 June 1836.
ix EVELYN FRANK, b. 3 March 1838; m. Susan McSwinn; 1 c. d. infancy.

The Rev. Stephen Allen Califf writes: "At the outbreak of the Civil War the brothers, Joseph, Samuel, and Evelyn, enlisted in the same company. Joseph was disabled the first year and discharged. Evelyn was wounded by a piece of shell that exploded in front of their line at the siege of Vicksburg, Jan. 19, 1863, and died 1 July following. Samuel after thirteen months in the service was promoted to a captaincy and from that time on held various commands, serving until the end of the war."

Joseph went to Oregon City, Ore., where he was police judge and county treasurer.

154 Lois (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of East Smithfield, Pa.; b. 12 Dec. 1798, Halifax, Vt.; d. 28 May 1865; m. 22 Oct. 1826, Eleazer King, b. 13 March 1798; d. 12 Oct. 1844, E. Smithfield.

Children born at East Smithfield:

i Jasper, b. 22 Aug. 1827; m. 2 May 1852, Alvira Seaward; 3 chn.

ii Oliva, b. 9 April 1829; d. 14 Jan. 1851; m. 18 Jan. 1845, David Kingsbury; 1 ch.

iii Ruth, b. 21 Dec. 1830; m. 31 Dec. 1852, Lester Chittenden; 3 chn.

iv Polly Lois, b. 16 March 1840; m. 28 Sept. 1859, Geo. M. Beardsley; 2 chn.

155 Hosea (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa.; b. 4 Aug. 1801, Halifax, Vt.; d. 12 Feb. 1881. Smithfield; m. 6 Oct. 1831, Mary Pierce, b. 1 Jan. 1811, Bristol, R. I.; d. 28 July 1892, Smithfield; dau. of Ebenezer and Prudence (Burr) Pierce.

Children born at Smithfield:

i William Henry, b. 26 July 1832; d. 13 June 1843.

ii Mira Ann, b. 10 June 1834; d. 2 July 1836.

iii Emma Augusta, b. 24 Oct. 1836; d. 15 June 1910; unm.

273 iv John Newton, b. 9 May 1839.

274 v Joseph Mark } b. 31 Aug. 1843.
275 vi Mary Josephine }

156 Enos (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of East Smithfield, Pa.; b. 13 June 1807, Halifax, Vt.; d. 13 Nov. 1898, Springfield, Pa.; m. 30 April 1837, Luzina Harkness Bird, b. 11 Dec. 1817, Smithfield; dau. of John and Mary Bird.

Children born at Smithfield:

i Cornelia, b. 20 Sept. 1838; unm.

276 ii Ellen, b. 1 Jan. 1841.

iii Verona, b. 22 March 1843; m. (1) 21 May 1874, Eli Gilmore Pierce; (2) 1881, Thomas H. Wylie; 1 ch.

277 iv Emmorett, b. 8 Jan. 1846.

v LAURA JANE, b. 27 May 1849; d. 14 June 1871; m. 18 June 1870, J. Leroy Vincent.

278 vi JUSTIN EDWIN, b. 13 April 1852.

Enos was a carpenter and millwright. For several years he was major of militia. The daughters of this family spelled the name "Cailiff."

157 ANNA (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of East Smithfield, Pa., and Elmira, N. Y.; b. 22 March 1809, Halifax, Vt.; d. 10 June 1888, Elmira; m. 4 Feb. 1828, Billings Pierce, b. 24 Jan. 1806, Bristol, R. I.; d. 26 Nov. 1862.

Children:

i STEPHEN, b. 21 Nov. 1829; m. 11 June 1864, Alma Perkins.

ii EBEN W., b. 13 March 1831; d. 9 Apr. 1872, St. Louis, Mo.; m. 26 July 1853, Amanda Bingham.

iii ANNA, b. 12 Dec. 1833; m. 9 Apr. 1858, Sidney Loomis.

iv ALMA, b. 10 March 1835; m. 21 Jan. 1852, Daniel D. Parker.

v WILLIAM B., b. 1 Nov. 1841; m. 16 Aug. 1865, Mary J. Wykoff.

vi MILLARD F., b. 17 Dec. 1848; d. 5 Nov. 1875.

vii LYNNA, b. 25 Sept. 1849; m. 6 Aug. 1870, Rufus C. Vail.

158 RUFUS (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa.; b. 14 Oct. 1810, Halifax, Vt.; d. 16 April 1888, Smithfield; m. 24 Feb. 1832, Phebe Lockwood Thomas, b. 30 Oct. 1813, Wickford, R. I.; d. 10 Sept. 1897.

Child:

279 ESTHER PHEBE, b. 12 Nov. 1832.

159 ALLEN (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of E. Smithfield, Pa.; b. 17 Aug. 1812, Halifax, Vt.; d. 4 Jan. 1888, E. Smithfield; m. 8 March 1835, Hannah Arnold Thomas, b. 12 Oct. 1809, North Kingston, R. I.; d. 8 June 1895.

Children born at E. Smithfield:

280 i STEPHEN ALLEN, b. 29 Feb. 1836.

ii GEORGE CLINTON, b. 24 Sept. 1837.

iii MILOT HERMON, b. 6 Nov. 1852; d. 21 Jan. 1853.

160 MARY HAZEN (William, John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 14 June 1796. Hampstead; d. 25 March 1879; m. 18 March 1819, Benjamin Balch Garland, b. 7 Feb. 1793, Barrington, N. H.; d. 8 Aug. 1872; son of Benjamin and Mary (Balch) Garland.

Children:

i MARY ANN, b. 28 Aug. 1820; m. 22 Oct. 1851, Fred A. Pike, Hampstead.

ii JOHN WILLIAM, b. 15 Feb. 1828; m. Emily Ann Ring, Hampstead.

161 LOUISA (William, John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 17 Nov. 1798, Hampstead; d. 29 May 1850; m. 14 Nov. 1822, Lieutenant John Little, b. 23 Oct. 1794, Hampstead; d. 27 June 1852; son of Col. Jonathan and Dolly (Little) Little.

Children:

i WILLIAM CALEF, b. 17 Dec. 1823; m. (1) Julia E. (Harris) Hazletine; (2) Emily J. (Harris) Greenough; 2 dau.

ii LOUISA, b. 17 Feb. 1830; d. 14 Sept. 1863; m. 20 May 1852, Hazen Lawrence Hoyt; 1 son.

162 JOHN (Joseph, John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead and Canaan, N. H., and Little Rock, Wis.; b. 9 Dec. 1808, Hampstead, N. H.; d. after 1852; m. Sally Pollard, of Canaan, N. H.

Child born at Hampstead:

281 i ANN AUGUSTA.

163 JOSEPH JAMES (Joseph, John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 2 Sept. 1828, Hampstead; d. before 1888; m. Mary Bachelder, b. 22 March 1849, Hampstead; dau. of Samuel Harrison and Alpha (Green) Bachelder.

Child:

i MARGARET ANN, b. 28 Sept. 1867.

Joseph was a farmer and stage driver between Haverhill and Hampstead.

164 HORATIO GATES KIMBALL (James, John, John, John, Robert) of Saco and Belfast, Maine, and Boston, Mass.; b. 11 March 1808, Saco; d. ——; m. (1) 2 May 1833, Augusta, Me., Julia Ann Patten, b.. 7 Feb. 1811; d. 23 Oct. 1837; dau. of Jonathan Patten, Billerica, Mass.; (2) 30 May 1838, Hannah Patten, b. 18 March 1815; d. 17 Aug. 1838; sister of his first wife; (3) 15 March 1839, Margaret Symonds Webster, b. 20 June 1816; dau. of Peter Eaton and Rebecca (Symonds) Webster, Salem, Mass.

Child by wife Julia:

i ABBY PATTEN, b. 1 July 1834; unm.

Children by wife Margaret:

ii JULIA AUGUSTA, b. 27 May 1840; d. before 1888; m. 15 Feb. 1871, Charles Mortimer Waterbury.

iii HORACE WEBSTER, b. 15 June 1842; m. 2 Aug. 1872, Emily M. Howells, England.

iv JAMES, b. 1 April 1852; d. 5 July 1878, Brooklyn, N. Y.

165 HARRIET NEWELL (James, John, John, John, Robert) of Derry, N. H.; b. 12 April 1816, Hampstead, N. H.; d. ——; m. 28 Jan. 1841, Daniel J. Day, b. 14 April 1804, Derry; d. ——; son of Little and Sarah (Jaques) Day.

Children:

i CHARLES HENRY, b. 28 April 1842; m. 24 Nov. 1864, Martha Sanborn, Derry.

ii LUCY ELIZABETH, b. 30 Jan. 1847; d. 29 July 1857.

166 LOIS (James, John, John, John, Robert) of Hampstead, N. H.; b. 4 Sept. 1821, Hampstead; d. ——; m. 10 Aug. 1846, William Sanborn, b. 10 Feb. 1812, Chichester, N. H.; son of Jeremiah and Martha Sanborn.

Children born at Hampstead:

i MARY ELIZABETH, b. 29 June 1851; d. 25 Aug. 1869.

ii JAMES WILLIAM, b. 3 April 1853.

iii SUSAN EMMA, b. 25 April 1857; d. 5 June 1870.

iv JOHN CALEF, b. 29 Sept. 1863; d. 18 July 1938.

167 JOSIAH (Joseph, John, William, John, Robert) of Boston, Mass.; Saco, Me.; b. 21 May 1782, Kingston, N. H.; d. 2 March 1863, Saco; m. (1) 14 May 1812,

Nantucket, Mass., Susan Hussey; b. 14 Sept. 1790, Nantucket; d. 10 May 1822, Boston; dau. of Zaccheus and Lydia (Folger) Hussey; (2) 20 March 1827, Haverhill, N. H., Sarah Phillips Gale; b. 4 Jan. 1793, Kingston; d. 24 April 1878; dau. of Dr. Amos and Hannah (Gilman) Gale, Haverhill.

Children by wife Susan:

282 i SARAH, b. 14 March 1813.

ii SUSAN ANN, b. 12 Nov. 1814; d. 23 Nov. 1889; m. (1) 7 Oct. 1839, Dr. Albert Gallatin Bartlett; (2) 20 Oct. 1846, Thomas Cutts.

iii MARY, b. 27 Jan. 1820; d. 10 Feb. 1845, Mobile, Ala.; unm.

283 iv JOSIAH BARTLETT, b. 27 April 1822.

Children by wife Sarah:

284 v GEORGE FOLGER, b. 17 June 1829.

285 vi HANNAH BARTLETT, b. 19 Feb. 1831.

Josiah bore the name of his grandfather, Dr. Josiah Bartlett, signer of the Declaration of Independence. His second wife, Sarah Gale, was the daughter of Dr. Gale, who had studied medicine under Dr. Bartlett and became his partner. Josiah was educated at Exeter. He went early to Boston, where he did well as a merchant. His name is on the list of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company. In 1811 in connection with Col. Thomas Cutts he built large iron works at Saco, Maine. The business prospered till 1829 when a fire destroyed the works. He won recovery from this disaster, was a director in the bank, the insurance company, the railroad, and was a most useful citizen. His energy and enterprise were the more notable that he had always to fight ill health. Of his children, one married a grandson, another a great-grandson, of his associate, Colonel Cutts.

168 MIRIAM (Joseph, John, William, John, Robert) of Loudon, Meredith Bridge, N. H.; b. 20 May 1784, Kingston, N. H.; d. 14 May 1863; m. Dr. Joseph Eastman; b. 26 Feb. 1783, East Kingston; d. Dec. 1816; son of Timothy and Abigail (Gale) Eastman.

Children born at Loudon:

i JOSIAH CALEF, b. 22 April 1811; m. (1) Anne A. Wilson; (2) Mary H. Harris; 5 chn.

JOHN PIERCE BARNARD CALEF

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ii SUSAN, b. 16 July 1812; m. Lorenzo Bacheller; 1 son.
iii JOSEPH, b. 29 Jan. 1814; d. 2 May 1853; m. Adeline Harriman; 3 chn.

Miriam Calef's husband and her two sons were physicians. Josiah Calef Eastman, like his father, graduated at Dartmouth Medical School. He practiced in Hampstead, was president of the N. H. Medical Society, and surgeon of the 4th N. H. Regiment, besides being county treasurer and serving in both houses of the legislature.

Joseph was trained at the Brunswick Medical School, Maine. He practised in Candia, N. H., crossed the Isthmus in the gold rush, but returned in about a year and practiced medicine in Epping, N. H., till his health failed.

169 JOHN PIERCE BARNARD (Joseph, John, William, John, Robert) of Saco, Maine, and Salem, Mass.; b. 15 Sept. 1801, Kingston, N. H.; d. 12 Dec. 1880, Salem; m. 25 April 1825, Salem, Rebecca Shreve; b. 25 Feb. 1803, Alexandria, Va.; d. 14 Feb. 1880, Salem; dau. of Isaac and Hannah (Very) Shreve, Salem.

Children born at Saco:

i ELIZABETH TUCKER, b. 17 Feb. 1826; d. 15 Jan. 1892, Lynnfield, Mass.; unm.
ii SARAH SHREVE, b. 15 Jan. 1831; d. 7 Sept. 1909, Lynnfield; m. 21 Dec. 1854, David Perkins Ives; no chn.
286 iii BENJAMIN SHREVE, b. 26 Jan. 1835.
iv WILLIAM HORTON, b. 10 Aug. 1841, Saco; d. 26 Aug. 1842, Salem.

Salem was a great port in the days when Benjamin Shreve sent his young son Isaac up from Alexandria to "learn the business" under Captain Samuel Very. He armed the boy with a letter so remarkable that it is little wonder it came down to Isaac's descendants.

To Isaac Shreve from his Beloved Father:

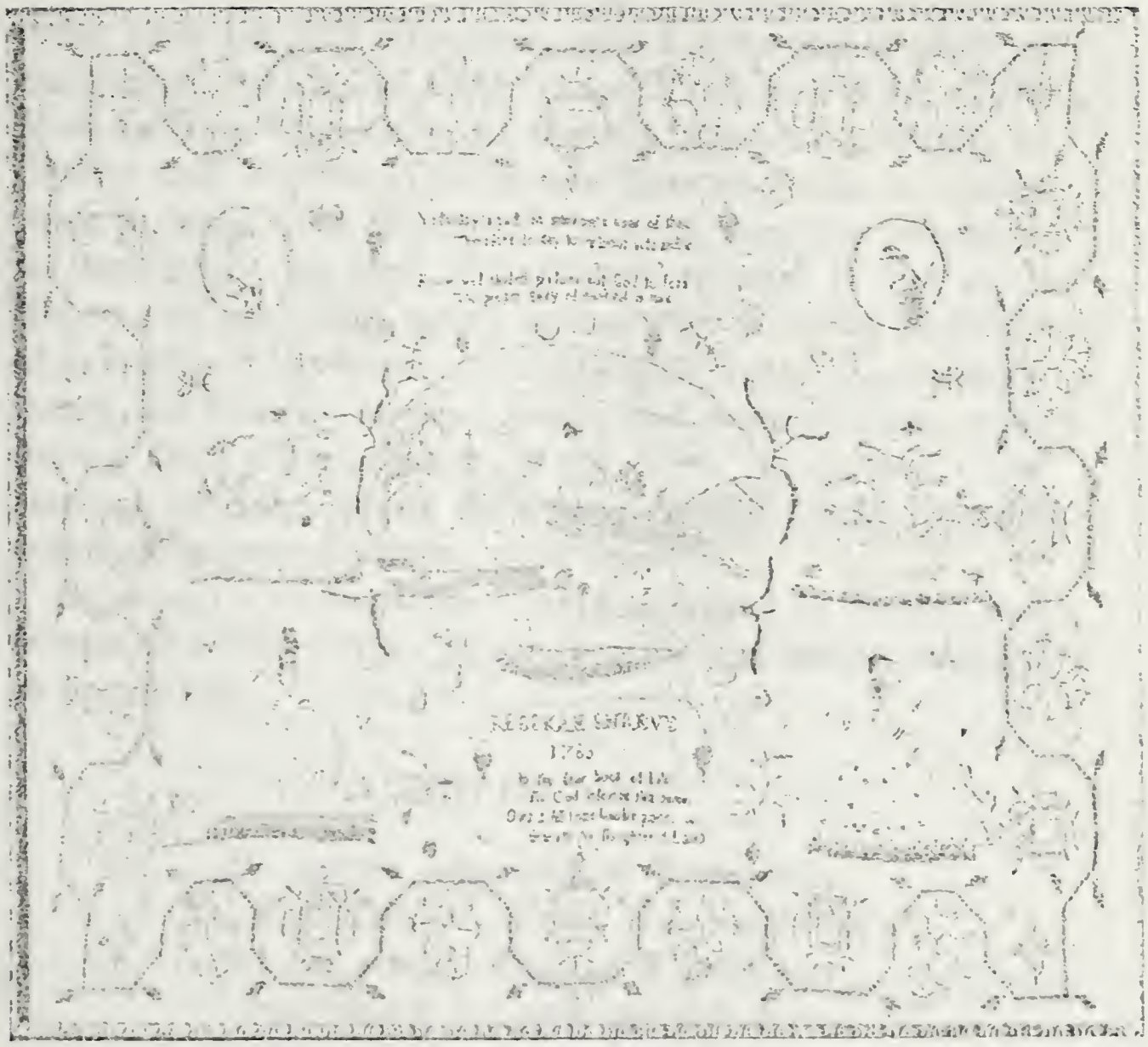
Alexandria, 29th, the 5th Month, 1794.

Dear Son Isaac: Thee is now going from under the care of thy loving father, whose eyes have ever been watchful for thy good into the wide world. Thee will now be under the care of Captain Very, who will advise thee for thy good, and

I would wish thee to be advised by him. I have thought it most for thy good for thee to go to Salem to learn the trade of a tanner. If Captain Very can get thee a place to suit, I would advise thee to stay; if not, come home by the first opportunity that offers. As thee will be among strangers, take good care how thee forms acquaintance. Let them be friends if possible, and steady, sober lads, older than thyself, and the fewer, the better. A young man's happiness, both in this world and that which is to come, in a great measure depends on the connections he forms when young. Keep steady to meeting and to plainness both in speech and apparel, and that God that made us will protect thee from all harm. Above all things, be true to thy trust and defraud no man though the thing may be small. But do unto men as thee would that they should do unto thee. And by so doing thee will gain the esteem of all good men and thy master, and come up in the world a useful member of society. Thee will have peace in thy own mind which cannot be taken away but by actions which I hope thee will not be guilty of. If I should be spared to live until thee comes of age, I am in hopes to be able to set thee up in thy intended business so that by care and industry, thee may soon get above the frowns of this world. But if I should be taken from works to rewards, thee may expect an equal share of what I leave behind me: provided thee conduct thyself in a sober and orderly manner. If thee agrees to stay, I shall send thee a certificate which thou must take to the monthly meeting. As there will be many opportunities, I would have thee write often and let me know if thee stand in need of anything; and I will endeavor to furnish thee from time to time. I want thee to serve five years and a half. Then thee will have some time in the winter which will give time for thee to prepare for settling thyself in the Spring following. I now recommend thee to that God that has protected me from my youth until this time (my father having died when I was about four years old.) And I am sure He is the same heavenly father that ever He was, and will remain to protect and preserve all those that love and fear him. From your loving father

Benj. Shreve

N. B. Take care of the little money thee has, for thee will find that to be a friend where all others have forsaken thee. I shall furnish thee with small matters of money according as I hear of thy behaviour. Often read this advice and endeavor to follow it.



SAMPLER WORKED BY REBECCA SHREVE, 1786

Isaac learned well and came back to Alexandria with the daughter of the house, Hannah Very, as his bride. So it came about that the bride of another young merchant and importer of Salem, John Pierce Barnard Calef, Rebecca Shreve, came from Alexandria. Their home at Salem was destroyed by fire in the "nineties" and with it went priceless records, mementoes, portraits. A few articles were happily elsewhere, one, a remarkable piece of embroidery which has hung in the American Wing of the Metropolitan Museum. At the top are oval portraits of George and Martha Washington, the only ones in needlework known. The Washingtons were familiar neighbors to the Shreves so that it was quite natural to the small Rebecca to have them share her sampler with the portraits of herself and her sister and their little dogs. Fortunately many old family papers, deeds and commissions, some dating from Revolutionary days, were in the old Calef mansion in Saco, where the young couple's early married years and many summers were spent.

Rebecca Calef went for a time to school in Salem, and treasured a slip of thin paper inscribed in script, as exact as engraving,

CERTIFICATE

Of Entire Approbation Presented
To Miss Rebecca Shreve as a testimony
of her steady, diligent & amiable
deportment the past quarter; her
exact obedience to school discip-
line and cheerful attendance
to all her tasks.

June 6th 1818. Elizabeth Peabody.

170 John Church (Amos, John, William, John, Robert) of Gloucester, Mass.; b. 29 July 1806, Goshen, N. H.; d. 18 Oct. 1897, Gloucester; m. 3 June 1835, Gloucester, Eliza Baldwin Haskell; b. 19 Dec. 1817,

Gloucester; d. ——; dau. of John and Harriet E. Haskell.

Children born at Gloucester:

i HARRIET HASKELL, b. 16 June 1838; m. 5 Sept. 1861, Allan Rogers, East Bridgewater, Mass.

ii ELIZA BALDWIN, b. 25 Oct. 1839; m. 10 July 1860, Addison Gilbert Proctor, Gloucester.

iii JOHN HASKELL, b. 24 Sept. 1841; d. 6 Jan. 1912, St. Louis, Mo.; m. 15 Sept. 1870, Mary Matilda Newell; no chn.

iv AMOS HOWARD, b. 10 May 1843; m. 19 Feb. 1879, Eliza Anderson Stacy; no chn.

v HENRY HASKELL, b. 14 May 1848; d. 8 Sept. 1809.

287 vi BENJAMIN HASKELL, b. 13 Feb. 1850.

vii ALBERT MINOT, b. 1 Oct. 1855; d. 19 Jan. 1856.

viii JENNIE BARTLETT, b. 31 May 1857; d. 4 Aug. 1858.

ix WILLIAM SHREVE, b. 11 June 1859; drowned 2 Sept. 1871.

John Church was a merchant of Gloucester. His son, A. Howard, lived in St. Louis and New York. He was an officer in the Southern Pacific Railroad and intimately connected with the spectacular railroad developments of the '80's.

From the historian of the Gettysburg National Park service comes the following account of the eldest son:

"During the battle of Gettysburg, July 1, 2, 3, 1863, Lt. John H. Calef commanded Battery A, 2nd U. S. Artillery.

The following is part of Lt. Calef's report.

'I accordingly selected a position about 600 yards in front of the one held during the night. As soon as the pioneer party had leveled the intervening fences, as well as the one in front of my position, I moved forward and took up the advanced position. No sooner was this accomplished than Gen. Buford sent for me and told me he wished one section on the left of the road and one still farther to the left. I accordingly placed 1st Sergt. Newman, commanding left section, on immediate left of road, and Sergt. Pergel, commanding center section, still farther to the left. No sooner was the latter placed in position than I heard the enemy's skirmishers open upon our pickets, who were retiring.

Lt. Roder now fired the first gun (which opened the sanguinary battle of Gettysburg) on the head of a column of rebel cavalry advancing on the right of the road.'

The gun that fired this shot under Lt. Calef is now located on McPherson Ridge, Gettysburg, Pa., and is in the approxi-

mate location where it was fired, and happens to be the only gun that we have the assurance that it was actually in the battle."

171 JOHN (Robert, John, William, John, Robert) of Kingston and Manchester, N. H.; Woodstock, Ill.; b. 10 March 1803, Kingston; d. 23 April 1863, Woodstock; m. (1) 20 Feb. 1832, Brentwood, N. H., Hannah Fellows; b. 21 Dec. 1805, Brentwood; d. 5 March 1848, Manchester; dau. of Simon and Dorothy Fellows; (2) 26 April 1849, Manchester, Mrs. Mary S. Colburn, of Northfield, Vt.; d. 14 July 1860, Canfield, Ill.

Children by wife Hannah:

i AREANNAH ELVIRA, b. 1832; d. 14 April 1849.
288 ii ELIZA ANTOINETTE, b. 27 June 1835.
289 iii GEORGIANNA AUGUSTA, b. 15 Nov. 1836.
290 iv HELEN FRANCES, b. 29 Dec. 1840.
291 v JOHN HOWARD, b. 21 March 1843.

Child by wife Mary:

vi JENNIE MAYNARD, b. 1 Feb. 1851.

John represented Kingston in the New Hampshire House of Representatives.

172 SAMUEL (Robert, John, William, John, Robert) of Kingston and Exeter, N. H.; b. 22 Jan. 1810, Kingston; d. 12 Feb. 1890; m. 22 June 1842, Mary Ann Berry; b. ——; d. 23 March 1888; dau. of Joshua and Patience (Chase) Berry, Pittsfield, N. H.

Children born in Kingston:

i MARY ELIZABETH, b. 16 Jan. 1844.
292 ii GEORGE EVERETT, b. 23 Nov. 1845.
iii HORACE BERRY, b. 8 Jan. 1852; d. 23 July 1892.
iv SARAH JOY, b. Dec. 1853; d. Jan. 1854.

173 ELIZA ANN (Robert, John, William, John, Robert) of Kingston, N. H.; Canfield, Ill.; b. 10 June 1814, Kingston; d. 18 Oct. 1898, Exeter, N. H.; m. 13 July 1835, Kingston, Jacob Peaslee Eastman; b. 4 April 1808, Kingston; d. ——; son of Jacob and Martha (Peaslee) Eastman.

Children born in Kingston:

i MARTHA ANN, b. 13 April 1836; unm.; lived Caulfield.

ii CHARLES ROBERT, b. 13 July 1838; of Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

iii EMMA CALEF, b. 3 July 1844; m. Wm. C. Davis, Boston, Mass.

174 WILLIAM (William, William, William, John, Robert) of Franklin, N. H.; b. 4 Sept. 1786, Salisbury, N. H.; d. 6 May 1860, Sanbornton, N. H.; m. 24 Nov. 1816, Polly (Mary) Kimball; b. 1796; d. 31 Aug. 1858, Franklin; dau. of Richard and Betsy (Judkins) Kimball, Salisbury.

Children:

i ANN SALOME, b. 29 April 1818; m. Hiram Eastman, Andover, N. H.; c.

293 ii SAMUEL EASTMAN, b. 20 Aug. 1820.

iii WILLIAM, b. 13 June 1822; d. 23 Sept. 1826.

294 iv GEORGE AMOS, b. 25 Dec. 1823.

v HENRY JUDKINS, b. 24 Oct. 1825.

vi WILLIAM, b. 23 Oct. 1827; m. Maria Woodward; no chn.

295 vii MARY JANE, b. 28 June 1829.

viii BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, b. 14 April 1831; d. 5 June 1862; unm.

296 ix ALFRED FREEMAN, b. 9 May 1833.

x NANCY, b. 29 Oct. 1835; d. 21 Dec. 1867; unm.

William, the fifth son, was with the 2nd New Hampshire Regulars, and taken prisoner at Gettysburg. He died in prison, at Richmond, in March 1864.

175 JOHN (William, William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 27 Jan. 1788, Salisbury; d. 1 May 1851, Salisbury; m. 27 Dec. 1814, Martha Gale; b. 20 July 1786, Salisbury; d. 20 Nov. 1856, Salisbury; dau. of Deacon John Collins and Rebekah (Webster) Gale.

Children:

i CHARLES, b. 19 Nov. 1815; d. 26 May 1822.

297 ii RUFUS, b. 11 Jan. 1817.

iii HARRIET JANE, b. 18 July 1818; d. 19 May 1822.

298 iv JOHN GALE, b. 29 March 1820.

299 v BENJAMIN GALE, b. 29 Oct. 1821.

vi CHARLES, b. 4 June 1823; drowned in the Mississippi, July 1848.

vii MARTHA JANE, b. 3 March 1825; m. 21 Aug. 1847, Benjamin Calvin Couch; 2 chn.

viii LUCY ANN, b. 23 Dec. 1826; d. 31 Dec. 1860, Fishkilwa, Ill.; m. William H. Eades of Kentucky; 4 chn.

300 ix HARRIET AMANDA, b. 4 July 1829.

x CHRISTOPHER, b. 9 Feb. 1832; m. 1 Jan. 1856, Julia A. Weeks; no chn.

"John Calef, Gentleman", had a farm near his father. His will gave most of the property to the youngest son, Christopher.

176 HANNAH (William, William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 13 March 1790, Salisbury; d. ——; m. 21 Oct. 1824, Samuel Pearson, b. 19 March 1800, Salisbury; d. ——; son of Moses and Lois (Rogers) Pearson.

Children:

i HANNAH ISABELLA, b. 19 April 1826; m. Aaron Eddy Persons, W. Andover, N. H.

ii WILLIAM FRANCIS, b. 2 April 1828; m. Mary J. Hancock, Salisbury; chn.

177 POLLY (William, William, William, John, Robert) of Corser Hill in Boscawen, N. H.; Riceville, Ia.; b. 6 Dec. 1791, Salisbury, N. H.; d. 22 June 1858, Boscawen; m. 12 Sept. 1820, James S. Fellows; b. 7 Nov. 1791, Salisbury; son of Moses and Sally (Stevens) Fellows.

i MARY JANE, b. 13 June 1822; d. 20 June 1855.

ii JAMES CALEF, b. 7 July 1824; m. 12 Nov. 1851, Eliza W. Kerr, Riceville.

iii AUGUSTA ANN, b. 5 Aug. 1826; m. 14 June 1847, Moses C. Fellows, Boscawen.

iv FRANKLIN, b. 8 May 1829; m. 1 Feb. 1854, Martha J. McCurdy.

v HARRIS, b. 21 March 1835; m. Jane Eastman, Riceville.

178 HENRY (William, William, William, John, Robert) of Garland and Eddington, Me.; b. 10 June 1804, Salisbury, N. H.; d. 12 Jan. 1874, Eddington; m. 15 May 1836, Searsmont, Me., Mary A. Philbrick; b. 4

Aug. 1808, Whitefield, Me.; dau. of Eben and Mehitable Philbrick.

Children born at Garland:

i CHARLES HENRY, b. 31 May 1838; m. 27 Jan. 1866, Clara E. Little; no chn.

301 ii GEORGE WESLEY, b. 6 June 1841.

iii FRANCIS ALBION, b. 31 July 1844; d. 8 May 1864.

302 iv MARY ELLEN, b. 17 Nov. 1847.

The three sons were in the Civil War. Charles Henry was for three years with the First Maine Heavy Artillery, Company D.

Francis Albion, after two years with the Seventh Regiment, Maine Volunteers, Company C, died from wounds received at the Battle of the Wilderness.

(For George Wesley see 301.)

179 SAMUEL EASTMAN (William, William, William, John, Robert) of Dexter, Me.; b. 24 Nov. 1806, Salisbury, N. H.; d. 6 May 1883, Dexter; m. 7 Sept. 1848, Dexter, Ann Withington Crane; b. 15 April 1812, Trescott, Me.; d. 15 Feb. 1887; dau. of John and Mary (Weeler) Crane, Boston, Mass.

Children born at Dexter:

i SAMUEL FRANCIS, b. 17 Jan. 1850; m. 27 Jan. 1886, Annie J. Murray, Prince Edward's Island.

ii SUSAN ANN, b. 22 June 1851; m. 18 Sept. 1880, Daniel C. Breed.

180 JOHN (Jonathan, William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 28 Oct. 1797, Salisbury; d. 31 July 1884; m. 28 Dec. 1823, Ruth Chase Whitmore; b. 1 Nov. 1801; d. 9 April 1875; dau. of Anthony and Priscilla (Chase) Whitmore, Salisbury.

Children born at Salisbury:

303 i FRANCIS BURDETTE, b. 31 March 1825.

304 ii ELIZABETH ANN, b. 29 April 1827.

305 iii JOSEPH WARREN, b. 23 Dec. 1829.

iv SARAH PRISCILLA, b. 1 Nov. 1831; d. 1 Aug. 1837.

306 v MARY MEHITABLE, b. 1 Feb. 1834.

vi CAROLINE RUTH, b. 23 Dec. 1836; d. 8 March 1877; unm.

307 vii JANE PRISCILLA, b. 23 April 1838.
viii GEORGIANNA, b. 12 Sept. 1840; teacher, North Easton, N. H.
308 ix JOHN ALFRED, b. 18 Nov. 1842.
309 x DAVID CURRIER, b. 23 March 1847.

181 MOSES (Jonathan, William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. abt. 1800, Salisbury; d. 30 April 1850, Newburyport, Mass.; m. 28 Nov. 1830, Lucy Mansfield, of Salisbury.

Child:

i HANNAH G., m. Oct. 1846, Wm. D. Pecker, Newburyport.

182 JOSEPH (Jonathan, William, William, John, Robert) of Lowell, Mass., and Salisbury, N. H.; b. abt. 1802, Salisbury; d. 16 March 1863, Salisbury; m. Hannah Jackman, b. Dec. 1815; d. ——; dau. of Thomas and Mary (Downing) Jackman, Boscawen, N. H.

Children:

i Child; d. young.
ii Child; d. young.
310 iii MARY ELIZABETH, b. 6 Feb. 1840.

The stones of Joseph and Hannah are in the Salisbury yard.

183 JAMES (Jonathan, William, William, John, Robert) of Lowell, Mass.; Nashua, N. H.; b. 28 Oct. 1804, Salisbury, N. H.; d. 18 March 1878, Charlestown, Mass.; m. 15 Nov. 1824, Lowell, Mary Shattuck; b. 24 July 1807, Pepperell, Mass.; d. 1863, Nashua; dau. of Amaziah and Nancy (Lovejoy) Shattuck, Milford, N. H.

Children:

i MARY J., b. 15 June 1831; m. 31 July 1855, Rufus Norman.
ii KATHERINE PHELPS, b. 19 March 1833.
311 iii GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 22 Feb. 1836.
iv ELIZA A., b. 20 June 1838.
v HELEN MAR., b. 8 Oct. 1839; m. Charles H. Tilton, Lowell.
vi ALBERT BUTCHER, b. 31 Jan. 1844; lived in Boston.
vii ISABELLA, b. 7 March 1847.

184 NANCY (Moses, William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 20 Mch. 1788, Boscawen, N. H.; d. living in 1871; m. 2 Apr. 1811, Matthew Pettingill Webster; b. 17 Sept. 1786, Salisbury; d. before 1871; son of Humphrey and Phebe (Pettingill) Webster.

Children:

i MOSES, b. 28 Dec. 18—; m. Priscilla P. Austin, Boscawen; lived in Salisbury; c.
ii ISAAC N., d. young.
iii PHEBE PETTINGILL, d. young.
iv GUSTAVUS, b. 21 Jan. 18—; m. Louisa Sanborn; c.
v HUMPHREY, b. 19 Feb. 18—; m. Elizabeth Emery.
vi SYLVANUS WEBSTER, b. 7 Apr. 1824; m. Joanna C. Bartlett; c.
vii MARY ANN, d. young.
viii CHARLES CARROLL, d. young.
ix JOHN ANDREW JACKSON, d. young.
x AMOS, d. young.
xi AMANDA, m. Charles Lowell; c.

The son, Sylvanus Webster, lived on the Calef homestead in Salisbury.

185 MOSES (Moses, William, William, John, Robert) of Wilmot, N. H.; b. after 1794, Boscawen, N. H.; d. ——; m. (1) 25 Nov. 1818, Dorothy Berry, of Salisbury, N. H.; (2) Judith Fifield.

Child by wife Dorothy:

i MOSES, b. 19 June 1828; d. 28 July 1828; gravestone at Boscawen.

186 ELIZA CLARK (David, William, William, John, Robert) of Webster, N. H.; b. 1 May 1813, Salisbury, N. H.; d. ——; m. 31 May 1843, John Gilman Couch, b. 26 April 1809, Boscawen, N. H.; d. ——; son of Nathaniel and Elizabeth (Calef) Couch (91).

Children:

i ENOCH WESTON, b. 4 May 1844; d. young.
ii NATHANIEL DAVID, b. 23 July 1846.
iii JOHN BURDEN, b. 28 Aug. 1849.

187 MARY JANE (David, William, William, John, Robert) of Hopkinton, N. H.; b. 28 July 1815, Salis-

bury, N. H.; d. ——; m. (1) 28 Dec. 1842, Henry Clinton George, of Canaan, N. H.; (2) 10 April 1858, Ichabod Eaton, of Hopkinton.

Child by husband Henry George:

i HENRY CALEF, b. 1844; d. 1865.

The son died in service in the Civil War with the 16th New Hampshire Reg. Vol. He was buried at Fort Anderson.

188 DANIEL J. (David, William, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury and Henniker, N. H.; b. 31 Jan. 1824, Salisbury; d. ——; m. 22 Nov. 1849, Maria H. Stevens, b. 15 March 1829, Salisbury; dau. of Daniel and Dorothy (Peasley) Stevens, Andover, N. H.

Children:

i ARTHUR S., b. 2 Dec. 1850.

ii EMMA H., b. 25 April 1852; m. 23 Dec. 1871, Elbridge Smith, Salisbury.

iii WALTER W., b. 15 Feb. 1858; d. 3 March 1859.

iv BERTHA A., b. 2 May 1863; d. 27 Oct. 1864.

v HARRY B., b. 15 June 1866.

Daniel was for four successive years selectman of Salisbury. In 64-65 he was representative in the Legislature. He was town treasurer for four years and for four years superintendent of schools. In 1871 he moved to a farm he owned in the neighboring town of Henniker.

Arthur was a teacher in Hopkinton, N. H.

189 GARLAND (Daniel, William, William, John, Robert) of Boscawen, Salisbury and Warner Center, N. H.; b. 5 Jan. 1802, Boscawen; d. Aug. 1884; m. (1) 10 July 1834, Nancy Rowell Calef; b. 24 Feb. 1809, Salisbury; d. 4 Nov. 1838; dau. of David and Sarah (Jones) Calef (92), Salisbury; (2) 26 Jan. 1841, West Boscawen, Maria B. Fitz; b. 1 Jan. 1819; d. 6 Jan. 1873; dau. of Richard and Polly (Blanchard) Fitz, Sandown, N. H.

Children by wife Nancy born at Boscawen:

i DANIEL RENTON, b. 16 April 1835; m. 4 July 1870, Mrs. Maria ——; went to Kansas 1854.

ii FREEMAN WESTON, b. 23 Nov. 1837; went to the West.

iii SARAH, b. ——; d. young.

Children by wife Maria:

iv POLLY BLANCHARD, b. 26 March 1842; m. (1) 19 Jan. 1878, John C. Bean, Warren, N. H.; (2) 13 May 1889, Wm. F. Wadleigh, Webster, N. H.

v FITZ ROY, b. 6 Feb. 1846; in Kansas, 1874.

312 vi MOSES GARLAND, b. 29 April 1848.

313 vii CHARLES ARTHUR, b. 1 Feb. 1852.

Born at Salisbury:

viii MARTHA JANE, b. 3 Nov. 1854; m. 11 Sept. 1878, Charles George of Webster.

ix FREDERICK ALPHEUS, b. 1 Oct. 1856; lived at Boscawen.

x ALBERT EDWARD, b. 15 Jan. 1862; lived at Warner, N. H.

Seven of Garland Calef's children were born on the homestead of their grandfather Daniel Calef. Garland was a wealthy farmer. In 1854 he bought a farm in Salisbury and in 1873 he moved to Warren Center. He served as Justice of the Peace.

Three sons, Daniel, Freeman and Fitz, went west. Daniel had travelled in France, was a clock maker, and finally settled as a farmer in De Kalb, Kansas. Martha was a teacher in Methuen, Mass.

190 MEHITABLE (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert); b. 6 Mch. 1793, East Plainfield, N. H.; d. 20 June 1878; m. 1 Apr. 1819, East Plainfield, Abel Wheeler; b. 13 Mch. 1793; d. 13 Mch. 1870, Haverhill, N. H.; son of Abel and Prudence (Warren) Wheeler, of Newport, N. H.

Children:

i CARLOS, b. 27 Nov. 1819; m. 2 Nov. 1848, Esteria Louisa Holt, Worcester, Mass.

ii ELIZABETH, b. 15 Feb. 1821; m. 8 Oct. 1845, James B. Smith of Sunapee, N. H.

iii PRUDENTIA, b. 14 July 1822; m. 4 Mch. 1843, Onius Harris of Fitchburg, Mass.

iv SARAH MARIA, b. 5 Dec. 1823; m. 5 Jan. 1847, John F. Manahan of Lowell, Mass.

v MARY CALEF, b. 31 July 1825; d. 21 Aug. 1826.

vi MARY CALEF, b. 4 June 1828; m. Benjamin Noyes of Haverhill.

vii MARTHA ANN, b. 4 Dec. 1829; m. (1) Anthony W. Weatherby of Haverhill; (2) 1 Mch. 1858, Wilber Waugh of Greensboro, Vt.

viii CHARLOTTE C., b. 1 Feb. 1832; m. 3 May 1854, Jacob G. Marcy of Haverhill.

ix LAVINIA MORSE, b. 9 Sept. 1836; m. Chester R. Phelps of Lowell.

191 HANNAH (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Enfield, N. H.; Albany, Vt.; b. 27 March 1795, East Plainfield, N. H.; d. 24 Aug. 1835, Albany; m. Nov. 1817, Arial Bosworth; b. ——; d. soon after Aug. 1835.

Children born at Enfield.

i ORIN of Lebanon, N. H.

ii CURTIS, d. Enfield.

iii NATHANIEL of Missouri; m.

iv MARY, m. Harry Morgan, E. Plainfield.

v } LAURA.
vi } LUCINDA.

192 NATHANIEL (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Springfield, N. H., and Iowa; b. 10 April 1797, East Plainfield, N. H.; d. 13 Sept. 1860, Iowa; m. April 1826, Concord, N. H., Rhoda Page; d. Springfield.

Children born at Springfield.

i JAMES.

ii JOHN.

iii GEORGE.

iv CHARLES.

v LYDIA.

vi LAURA.

All of Iowa.

193 MARY (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Hartland, Vt.; b. 18 April 1801, East Plainfield, N. H.; d. ——; m. 1832, Newport, N. H., Leonard Hart.

Children:

i LEWIS of Illinois.

ii JOHN of Illinois.

iii SARAH E. of Illinois; d. Beardstown, Ill.; m. Curtis, Maine.

iv ALBERT of Illinois.

194 ABIGAIL (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Northfield, Vt.; b. 23 May 1803, East Plainfield, N. H.; d. ——; m. 21 Jan. 1826, Springfield, N. H., Walter Bowman.

Children:

i SARAH P., b. 17 Oct. 1826, of Northfield.
ii ALONZO, b. 17 July 1828; m. 19 Apr. 1856, Brookline, Mass.
iii LUCY ANN, b. 1 Sept. 1831; d. 25 Sept. 1853.
iv DRUSILLA, b. 18 Oct. 1833; d. 1 Oct. 1861.
v SYLVESTER, b. 23 Oct. 1836, of Northfield.
vi ABBY MARIA, b. 9 Feb. 1841, of Boston, Mass.

195 JOHN HALL (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Lebanon, East Plainfield and Grantham, N. H.; b. 21 Dec. 1805, Lebanon; d. 1 Dec. 1902, Lebanon; m. 19 Jan. 1836, Enfield, N. H., Esther Fellows.

Children born at East Plainfield.

i HIRAM F., b. 7 Dec. 1836; d. 27 Feb. 1838.
ii SARAH P., b. 11 July 1839; d. 20 Oct. 1853.
iii SUSAN MARIA, b. 7 June 1841; m. 16 June 1867, Hiram Fellows, Washington, Vt.
iv HENRY P., b. 14 July 1844; d. 24 July 1875; m. 12 Dec. 1866, Flora Foster, East Plainfield, N. H.
v JOHN, b. 1 Oct. 1852; d. 5 Oct. 1852.

196 SARAH (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Beardstown, Ill.; b. 28 Feb. 1808, East Plainfield, N. H.; d. ——; m., Beardstown, Landeric Maine.

Children:

i LUTHER of Beardstown.
ii ZOAK of Beardstown.
iii DANIEL of Beardstown.
iv MARY, d. at 16.

197 DRUSILLA S. (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of East Plainfield, N. H.; b. 9 Dec. 1810, East Plainfield; d. 24 Aug. 1869; m. 19 Aug. 1836, Newport, N. H., Luther Jones.

Children:

i SARAH, m. Frank Tracy, Springfield, Ill.
ii ANNA, m. Lewis Weaver, Beardstown, Ill.

iii EMMA.
iv LUTHER.

198 ELIZABETH (Nathaniel, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of East Plainfield, N. H.; b. 28 Dec. 1813, East Plainfield; d. 19 Aug. 1865; m. 4 Feb. 1840, Amos Coleman.

Children:

i MARY ELIZABETH, b. 18 Nov. 1840; d. 25 Dec. 1860.
ii AMOS EUGENE, b. March 1842, of Rochester, Vt.
iii NATHANIEL CALEF, b. June 1845, of Rochester, Vt.
iv {JENNIE, d. aged 2 years.
v {SARAH, d. aged 2 years.
vi JENNIE AUGUSTA, b. Apr. 1851, of Boston, Mass.
vii JESSIE MARIA, b. Feb. 1857, of Rochester, Vt.

199 CUTTING STEVENS (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Washington, Vt.; b. 27 Nov. 1796, Washington; d. 15 Jan. 1844, Washington; m. 16 Feb. 1823, Martha Howard Paine, b. 12 Nov. 1801, Barre, Vt.; d. 25 Oct. 1884; dau. of Ezra and Mehitable (Chamberlaine) Paine.

Children:

314 i EZRA PAINE, b. 7 May 1824.
315 ii WARREN HARRISON, b. 26 June 1825.
316 iii ALDEN DIMIC, b. 6 Oct. 1826.
iv IRA CHAMBERLAIN, b. 20 March 1828; d. 21 May 1917, Washington; unm.
317 v QUINCY OLCOTT, b. 31 May 1829.
vi MIRATTA ANN LUCIA, b. 31 Dec. 1830; m. Heman Allen White, Washington; no chn.
318 vii ELMER NORTON, b. 25 July 1834.
viii CUTTING STEVENS, b. 17 Feb. 1836; m. Annie G. Saunders; no chn.
319 ix GEORGE CLINTON, b. 19 June 1837.
x MARTHA ANN, b. 16 June 1839; d. 13 Feb. 1842.
xi LUCIE ANN, b. 7 April 1841; d. unm.
320 xii JOHN FRANKLIN, b. 2 April 1843.

Ira Calef made a fortune in the early days of the Chicago pork packing industry. He came back to Washington, Vermont, where he died, leaving $600,000 to hospitals in Vermont, Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

200 BENJAMIN PETTINGILL (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Washington, Vt.; b. 21 Oct. 1798, Washington; d. 17 Oct. 1826, Washington; m. Jan. 1825, Washington, Betsy Bartholemew; b. 1 Dec. 1799, Washington; dau. of Bether and Rachel (Barron) Bartholemew.

Child:

i ARMINA PETTINGILL, b. 30 June 1826; d. 12 May 1902; m. 1851, Norman W. Braley, Barre, Vt.

201 NANCY (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Washington, Vt.; b. 15 March 1801, Washington; d. ——; m. 17 April 1821, William M. Huntington; b. 2 June 1796; son of William and Elizabeth (Derby) Huntington.

Children:

i CYNTHIA, b. 7 Aug. 1822, Boston, Mass.

ii BENJAMIN, b. 16 Dec. 1826. Montpelier, Vt.; m.; c.

Children born at Washington:

iii ALMEDA, b. 30 Nov. 1829; d. 19 Jan. 1830.

iv WILLIAM, b. 30 Nov. 1831.

v ORRIN P., b. 1 Mch. 1833.

vi DELIA G., b. 16 Oct. 1835.

vii LESTER, b. 24 Dec. 1838.

202 HANNAH (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Washington, Vt.; b. 1 Dec. 1802, Washington; d. 15 April 1862, Washington; m. 23 Jan. 1831, Robert Wilson; b. 5 Dec. 1804, Stanstead, Canada; d. ——; son of Robert and Naomi Wilson.

Children:

i JANE B., b. 12 Sept. 1832; m. 11 March 1857, Daniel S. Patterson.

ii LUCY N., b. 23 Feb. 1834; d. 17 Sept. 1871; m. Center L. Houghton.

iii WILLIAM W., b. 13 Sept. 1835; m. 26 Nov. 1863, Lydia E. Browning.

iv CORNELIA M., b. 9 Jan. 1837; m. Edwin P. Barron.

203 NEHEMIAH STORY (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Washington, Vt.; b. 27 March 1804, Washington; d. 18 June 1859, Washington; m. 6 Oct. 1836, Boston, Mass., Lucy N. Nutting; b. 18 Feb. 1803,

Groton, Mass.; d. 1 Feb. 1901; dau. of Ephraim and Mary (Woods) Nutting.

Children:

i CAROLINE NUTTING, b. 1 Aug. 1837; d. 13 Aug. 1858; unm.

ii MARY NUTTING, b. 1 Oct. 1841; m. Benjamin Hinckley Paine, Truro, Mass.

iii SUSAN HAMMOND, b. 24 Jan. 1844; d. 31 Jan. 1901, East Hampton, Mass.; m. George Simmons Colton, Sherburne, Vt.

321 iv FRANCIS HOMER, b. 30 June 1846.

204 JOSEPH (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Boston, Mass.; b. 17 Dec. 1805, Washington, Vt.; d. 10 Nov. 1874, Boston; m. 13 May 1835, Clarissa Worthen; b. 23 June 1806, Chester, N. H.; d. 22 May 1876; dau. of Jonathan and Jane (Shannon) Worthen, Roxbury, Mass.

Children:

i ESTHER JANE, b. 1 Jan. 1837; m. 14 May 1871, Charlestown, Mass., Charles S. Morse of Melrose, Mass.

322 ii WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, b. 4 Oct. 1840.

iii EMMA E. H., b. May 1849; d. 5 July 1876, Boston.

205 HIRAM (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Boston and Woburn, Mass.; b. 30 Dec. 1813, Washington, Vt.; d. 2 Oct. 1899, Boston; m. 7 July 1836, Eliza Ann White; b. 6 Nov. 1809, Boston; d. 30 Dec. 1866, Boston; dau. of Samuel and Olive (Beard) White, Brookline, Mass.

Children:

i ELLEN WHITE, b. 6 May 1837; d. 13 June 1842.

ii HIRAM, b. 23 Aug. 1839; d. 29 Aug. 1840.

iii ELIZABETH ANN, b. 6 Feb. 1841.

iv LUCY JANE, b. 13 Nov. 1843; m. 29 Oct. 1868, Fred Fox Gage, Medford, Mass.

323 v CHARLES ALBERT, b. 22 Jan. 1847.

206 ELEANOR (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Whitefield and Henry, Ill.; b. 15 March 1815, Washington, Vt.; d. ——; m. (1) 30 Dec. 1841, John Bradshaw White; b. 17 Feb. 1814; d. 30 Oct. 1852; son

of Thaddeus and Rebecca White; (2) 23 Nov. 1871, Luther A. Jones, of Henry, Ill.

Children by husband John White:

i ELLEN MARIA, b. 20 Dec. 1843; m. Ransom E. Gregory.
ii JOHN BURRITT, b. 6 Oct. 1846; d. 11 Feb. 1868.
iii ASA ORVILLE, b. 12 Mch. 1849; lived in Paxton, Ill.

Early settlers of Illinois. Ellen Maria's husband was sheriff of Marshall County. John Burritt was a graduate of Knox College, 1865.

207 ESTHER (Joseph, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Washington, Vt.: b. 28 Aug. 1816, Washington; d. 21 Dec. 1897; m. 23 Dec. 1841, Thaddeus Gleazen White; b. 30 Nov. 1811; son of Thaddeus and Rebecca White, Washington.

Children:

i DELIA MARIA, b. 22 Aug. 1843; lived Somerville, Mass.
ii JOHN WAYLAND, b. 14 Mch. 1845; m. 7 June 1871, Jane E. Pepper, Washington.
iii FLORA WILSON, b. 28 Aug. 1846.
iv HEMAN GLEAZEN, b. 12 May 1849; lived Coventry, Vt.

208 MOSES B. (Benjamin, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury, N. H.; b. 3 May 1816, Salisbury; d. ——; m. 25 Dec. 1841, Emeline Fuller; b. 14 March 1812, Francistown, N. H.; d. 21 June 1883; dau. of Rufus and Hannah Fuller.

Children:

i GEORGE F., b. 5 July 1843.
ii BENJAMIN R., b. 7 May 1845; d. young.
iii SARAH J., b. 9 Feb. 184—.

209 CAROLINE M. (Benjamin, William, Joseph, John, Robert); b. 6 April 1821 at Salisbury, N. H.; d. 13 April 1863; m. 2 April 1848, Samuel Murray.

Children:

i CLARA.
ii FRANK.

210 JOSEPH W. (Benjamin, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Concord, N. H.; b. 2 Aug. 1825, Salisbury, N. H.; d. ——; m. Rebecca Elizabeth Roberts; b. ——; d. before 1868, Concord.

Children:

i FRANK R.
ii JOSEPHINE.
iii LORENA K.

211 BENJAMIN (Benjamin, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Salisbury and Concord, N. H.; b. 18 Sept. 1827, Salisbury; d. ——; m. 29 Nov. 1852, Mary Greene; b. 10 July 1831, Franklin, N. H.; dau. of Jeremiah and Nancy (Woodbury) Green.

Child born in Salisbury:

i BENJAMIN ALFRED, b. 16 March 1858.

212 LUCY J. (Benjamin, Joseph, William, John, Robert) of Concord (Fisherville), N. H.; b. 18 Jan. 1836, Franklin, N. H.; d. ——; m. 5 Nov. 1856, Charles G. Morse.

Children:

i CHARLES ALFRED.
ii ALMA JANE.
iii LUCY ANNIE.

213 THOMAS (Benjamin, James, James, John, Robert) of Bridgeport, Conn.; b. 12 April 1822, Bridgeport; d. ——; m. 19 Sept. 1848, Caroline Olmstead; b. 14 March 1820, Stratford, Conn.; d. 1898; dau. of Frederick and Julia (Pixley) Olmstead.

Children:

324 i MARY JULIA, b. 27 Nov. 1850.
ii HARRIET BREWSTER, b. 7 April 1853.
iii CAROLINE JUDSON, b. 24 June 1860.

214 GEORGE WASHINGTON (Zachariah, James, James, John, Robert) of Bridgeport, Conn., and Chelsea, Mass.; b. 4 March 1829, Bridgeport; d. 5 Dec. 1898, Chelsea;

m. 8 Jan. 1863, Boston, Mass., Eliza Jane Phillips; b. 22 April 1832, Millbury, Mass.; dau. of William and Eliza Jane (Hill) Phillips.

Child:

i GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 7 Jan. 1864.

George Washington Calef was 2nd Lt., Co. H, 11th Regiment. He was thirteen months a prisoner, being transferred from place to place — Libby, Saulsbury, Columbia jail, Charleston jail, Belle Isle, Castle Pinckney.

215 HARRIET NEWELL (Zachariah, James, James, John, Robert) of West Hartford, Ct.; b. 16 June 1833, Bridgeport, Ct.; d. ——; m. 27 Feb. 1862, Springfield, Mass., John Morton Belden; b. 12 Feb. 1832, New Britain, Ct.; son of Thomas Morton and Jane (Ward) Belden.

Children:

i MARY GRACE, b. 10 March 1866; d. 10 Jan. 1869.
ii ERNEST FRED MORRIL } b. 15 Jan. 1870:
iii EDGAR MORTON }

216 TRYPHENA BURNHAM (John, Daniel, James, John, Robert); b. 27 Nov. 1808, Rochester, N. H.; d. 17 Feb. 1896, Farmington, N. H.; m. Benjamin Downing; b. ——; d. 26 Aug. 1872; of Farmington.

Child:

i GEORGE T., b. ——; of Rochester.

217 MARY JANE (John, Daniel, James, John, Robert) of Farmington, N. H.; b. 25 Oct. 1813, Rochester, N. H.; d. 26 March 1896, Farmington; m. 25 Sept. 1831, Paul Horn (Home), of Dover, N. H.

Child:

i WESLEY R.

218 JOHN SCRIBNER (John, Daniel, James, John, Robert) of Rochester, Exeter and Newport, N. H.; b. 17 May 1824, Rochester; d. ——; m. 4 June 1848, Dover, N. H., Rebecca Whitehouse Page; b. 27 Nov. 1825, Roch-

ester; dau. of Moses and Eleanor (Ricker) Page, Rochester.

Children:

i ELLEN ELIZABETH, b. 2 April 1849.
ii DANIEL PAGE, b. 23 April 1851; m. 23 March 1874, Rochester, Mrs. Mary Frances (Brock) Evans.
iii EMMA JANE, b. 18 Aug. 1853; m. 15 July 1875,, Lyman Gay, Keene, N. H.
iv ROSABELLE MARIA, b. 18 Aug. 1855; m. 18 Mary 1878, Conly Roberts Jones.
v CLARA ETTA, b. 16 Aug. 1858.
vi MARY LUTETIA, b. 8 Sept. 1862.

219 JAMES (John, Daniel, James, John, Robert) of Farmington, N. H.; b. 2 Dec. 1826, Rochester, N. H.; d. ——; m. 17 Oct. 1853, Dover, N. H., Emily V. Ricker; b. 28 Sept. 1829, Sandwich, N. H.; d. 14 Sept. 1901, Farmington.

Children:

325 i FRANK N., b. 30 May 1856.
326 ii EVERETT LINWOOD, b. 23 Aug. 1858.

220 BETSY PORTER (John, John, King, John, Robert) of Portland, Me.; b. 3 Dec. 1799 at Beverly, Mass.; d. ——; m. Jeremiah Martin; b. ——; d. 1841, Portland; son of Ezekiel Martin of New Gloucester, Me.

Children:

i EMILY, b. 23 Oct. 1823; m. Benjamin Perkins.
ii JOHN DAVIS, b. Oct. 1825; d. unm.
iii JEREMIAH, b. 29 Dec. 1827; m.; no chn.
iv SETH, b. 1 April 1830, m. Eliza Green, Portland.
v MARY ELIZABETH, m. Augustin D. Smith, Buxton, Me.
vi HARRIET F., b. April 1835; d. young.
vii GEORGE W., b. 1837; m. Emily J. Morey, Altona, Ill.
viii HENRY, b. 1839; m. Mary Peterson, Chelsea, Mass.

221 HARRIET (John, John, King, John, Robert) of Rockport, Mass.; b. 15 Feb. 1813, Portland, Me.; d. ——; m. 1 Dec. 1836, Nehemiah Knowlton (2nd wife).

Children:

i JOHN CALEF, b. 1838; m. Margaret ——.
ii HARRIET L., b. 17 Aug. 1842; d. 1851.
iii HARRIET L., b. 1850.
iv Child.

They kept the light at Rockport.

222 FRANCES ANN (John, John, King, John, Robert) of Rockport, Mass.; b. 5 Aug. 1815, Portland, Me.; d. ——; m. William Knight.

Children:

i JOHN S., b. 9 June 1843; m. Jane Sanborn, of Rockport.
ii WILLIAM FRANCIS, b. ——; d. young.
iii A daughter, b. ——; d. young.

223 CHARLES EDWIN (Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert) of Portland, Oregon; b. 21 April 1837 at Milo, Me.; d. ——; m. 10 Oct. 1866 at Portland, Ore., Harriet A. Campbell.

Children:

i ALLEN, b. 3 Aug. 1867.
ii ALMIRA, b. 23 Oct. 1872.

224 MARY BUCK (Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert); b. 8 Sept. 1840, Fairfield, Maine; d. ——; m. San Francisco, Cal., Dr. Robert Crouch.

Children:

i EDGAR.
ii MABEL, b. 1872.
iii Child, b. 1873.

225 FRANCES ADELAIDE (Jonathan, Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert) of San Francisco, Cal.; b. 20 April 1842, Acton, Me.; d. 19 July 1866, Napa, Cal.; m. San Francisco, Cal., William Smith.

Child:

i SUSAN.

226 LAURA JANE (John, Jonathan, Joseph, John, Robert) of Haverhill, Mass.; b. 6 April 1852, North Reading, Mass.; d. ——; m. 24 Aug. 1871, Lawrence, Mass., Oliver H. Tarlton; b. 1850, Newcastle, N. H.; son of John and Mary Tarlton.

Child:

i JOHN OLIVER, b. 7 May 1872.

227 CHARLES WEEKS (James, Joseph, Joseph, John, Robert) of Quincy, Mass., and Auburn, N. H.; b. 5 April 1829, Auburn; d. ——; m. 21 April 1864, Venelia Richards; b. 26 Feb. 1838, Quincy, Mass.; dau. of Lisander and Content (Clapp) Richards, Neponset, Mass.

Children:

i ANNA LOUISE, b. 17 July 1865.

ii CLARA MINNIE, b. 13 Feb. 1867.

The homestead on the Candia Road, Auburn, came to this great-grandson of its builder, Joseph Calef.

228 RUFUS (John, David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Manchester, N. H.; b. 27 Feb. 1826, Goff's Falls, N. H.; d. 16 April 1876, Manchester; m. (1) 12 July 1851, Nancy Ann Martin of Westville, N. Y.; b. abt. 1826; d. 24 March 1865, Washington, D. C.; (2) 24 Dec. 1870, Maria (Adams) Simpson, of Bedford, N. H.

Children by wife Nancy Ann:

i RUFUS, b. 29 Sept. 1853.

ii JOHN FRANKLIN, b. 1 Nov. 1857.

iii MARTHA CAROLINE, b. 5 May 1859; d. 2 Sept. 1862, buried at Moores Ferry, N. H.

Rufus was a clerk in the office of the paymaster-general, at Washington, during the Civil War.

229 MARY ANN (John, David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Manchester, N. H.; b. 1 Oct. 1832, Goff's Falls, N. H.; d. ——; m. 12 Dec. 1857, James Madison Miller; b. 5 Nov. 1828; of Albany, Me.

Children:

i FREDERICK CALEF, b. 9 June 1860, Manchester.

ii WILLARD JAMES, b. 4 Sept. 1868, South Paris, Me.

230 CAROLINE (John, David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Manchester, N. H.; b. 17 May 1838, Goff's Falls, N. H.; d. ——; m. 10 Aug. 1862, Caius Cassius Webster; b. 10 Oct. 1839.

Child:

i FREDERICK ELMER, b. 4 Nov. 1868, Lawrence, Mass.

231 JOHN (Stephen, David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Hurdland, Mo.; b. 22 May 1823, Grafton, Vt.; d. 27

July 1894, Hurdland; m. 22 Aug. 1849, Alexandria, Mo., Ann Spencer; b. 3 Dec. 1823; of Culpepper Co., Va.; d. 13 Oct. 1887, Hurdland.

Children:

i SARAH FLORENCE, b. 17 June 1850; d. 4 March 1853.

327 ii JOHN ALBERT, b. 5 March 1852.

iii MINERVA ANN, b. 4 April 1854; d. 14 Nov. 1875.

iv STEPHEN MOORE, b. 28 Aug. 1859; b. 26 April 1885, Merino, Col.

v ELMER ELLSWORTH, b. 20 May 1861; d. 27 Aug. 1877.

vi GEORGE BYRON, b. 8 July 1864; d. abt. 1929, Mystic, Ia.

232 MARY EDNA (Jonathan, David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Keene, N. H.; b. 2 Sept. 1834, Keene; d. ——; m. 17 Jan. 1856, Harvey Ballou; b. 29 March 1824, Surrey, N. H.; d. ——; son of Ichabod and Eunice Ballou.

Children:

i M. LIZZIE, b. 2 Oct. 1858; d. 1 Dec. 1862.

ii JENNIE, b. 21 Oct. 1860; d. 29 Nov. 1862.

iii GEORGE H., b. 21 May 1863.

iv CLARA M., b. 9 Aug. 1868.

233 DAVID ROBERT (Jonathan, David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Keene, N. H.; b. 22 Nov. 1836, Keene; d. 1881, Keene; m. 10 Jan. 1866, Mary Maria Barker; b. 7 Sept. 1836, Westmorland, N. H.; d. 30 April 1887, Boston, Mass.; dau. of Stephen and Maria Barker, Westmorland.

Children:

i ROBERT STEPHEN, b. 21 May 1869.

ii NELLIE BARKER, b. 1 July 1875.

This may be the Lt. Robert Calef mentioned as in the Civil War in the N. E. H. & G. Register (p. 52).

234 ELIZA WEBSTER (Jonathan, David, Joseph, John, Robert) of Milford, N. H.; b. 23 Aug. 1839, Keene, N. H.; d. ——; m. 6 Jan. 1859, John P. Wood; b. 25 June 1833; d. ——; son of Abijah and Mary A. Wood.

Child:

i ESTELLE H., b. 13 Aug. 1860.

235 RICHARD CALLEY (James, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Bangor and Palmyra, Me.; b. 15 Sept. 1796, Sanbornton, N. H.; d. 26 Sept. 1879, Laconia, N. H.; m. Sarah Grey; b. Newport, Me.; d. abt. 1845.

Children:

i DOROTHY, b. abt. 1836, Newport.
ii JANE.
iii ELIZA ANN.
iv JOHN.
v GRANVILLE, b. 1845.

236 EDWARD STEPHEN (James, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Union, N. Y.; b. 1798, Sanbornton, N. H.; d. ——; m., Union, N. Y., "a lady of Pennsylvania Dutch descent."

Children:

i JOHN.
ii JAMES.
iii JOSEPH.
iv ELIZABETH.
v GEORGE.
vi Child.
vii Child.

237 HEZEKIAH (James, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, Effingham and Laconia, N. H., and Lowell, Mass.; b. 3 Sept. 1801, Sanbornton; d. 10 Aug. 1867, Sanbornton; m. Hannah Judkins, of Effingham.

Child:

i GEORGE, d. age 13, Effingham.

238 DOROTHY (James, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, N. H.; b. 15 Sept. 1812; d. ——; m. 18 Aug. 1838, Calvin Osgood; b. 15 Aug. 1816, Sanbornton; son of James and Folly (Burley) Osgood.

Children:

i MARY BURLEY, b. 27 Feb. 1840; m. Geo. Dearborn, Hill, N. H.
ii RICHARD PRESCOTT, b. 11 Nov. 1841; m. Helen Mann, Duluth, Minn.

iii ELIZABETH, b. 13 Sept. 1843; m. Charles Colby, Franklin, N. H.

iv JAMES, b. 11 Sept. 1846; m. Mrs. Mary Hale, Elkart, Ind.

v HENRIETTA NASON, b. 12 March 1849; m. John P. Heath, Franklin Falls, N. H.

vi ELLA JANE, b. 11 April 1852; m. Edgar A. Jones, Franklin Falls.

239 JOSIAH SANBORN (Samuel, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Carrol, Vt., Rochester and Laconia, N. H.; b. Sept. 1801, Richford, Vt.; d. 14 Feb. 1863, Rochester (Dover, N. H.?); m. (1) Eliza Ann Stickney; (2) Mrs. Mary Bean, Laconia, N. H.

Children by wife Eliza Ann:

i ALPHONSO DE FRANCIS, b. 1 May 1825; m. Sarah Durgin.

ii ELIZA ANN, b. ——; m. Moses C. Lord.

328 iii SAMUEL LEONIDAS, b. 22 Feb. 1833.

iv JENNETTE S., b. ——; m. —— Furber.

Children by wife Mary:

v AUGUSTA, b. ——; m. John Symonds.

vi LOIS AMELIA, b. ——; m. George Jones.

329 vii JOSIAH RICHARDSON, b. ——.

Josiah was a hatter by trade. His stone is in the Calef graveyard, Sanbornton.

240 OLIVER (Samuel, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton Bay, N. H.; b. 28 Aug. 1803, Richford, Vt.; d. 15 Aug. 1878; m. 6 July 1828, Nancy (Thompson) Nelson; b. 2 Dec. 1799, Loudon, N. H.; d. 7 Dec. 1877; dau. of James and Sarah (Gilman) Thompson, Loudon, N. H.

Children:

i ANN HAZELTINE JUDSON, b. 18 Nov. 1829; d. 5 June 1867; m. Carleton Rollins.

ii HARRIET NEWELL, b. 2 Oct. 1832; m. Edgar J. Hunkins.

iii GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 7 Dec. 1839; d. 26 Feb. 1848.

241 SAMUEL (Samuel, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton and Meredith, N. H.; b. 12 Feb. 1807, Richford, Vt.; d. 23 Aug. 1872, Meredith; m. (1) 11

Jan. 1836, Sally Ford; b. 11 May 1805; d. 6 Sept. 1852; dau. of William and Elizabeth (Hilton) Ford, Deerfield, N. H., and Sanbornton; (2) 31 July 1853, Hannah B. Ladd; b. 1818; d. 19 Nov. 1858; dau. of John and Nancy (Badger) Ladd, Sanbornton; (3) 17 March 1859, Mary Fogg, Meredith.

Children by wife Sally:

i JOHN FORD, in Texas 1861, Utah 1866.

ii MARY ELIZABETH, m. Philip Hoyt, New London, N. H.: no chn.

iii ABBY B., d. young.

Child by wife Hannah:

iv HENRY P., b. Aug. 1854; d. 6 Apr. 1855.

242 ANNA (Samuel, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Barrington and Dover, N. H.; b. 12 Feb. 1807, Richford, Vt.; d. ——; m. (1) 17 July 1831, Moses Hall, of Barrington; (2) David Foss, of Barrington.

Children born at Dover by husband Moses Hall:

i MOSES, m. at Lawrence, Mass.

ii ELIZA ANN, b. ——; m. Wm. Thomas, Lawrence.

iii CHARLES, d. young.

243 WILLIAM SANBORN (Samuel, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Meredith, N. H., Boston, Mass.; b. 1812, Sanbornton, N. H.; d. 14 Jan. 1862, Meredith; m. (1) Boston, Mary Elizabeth Fitzgerald; b. ——; d. 8 April 1853, Boston; (2) 1856, Hannah Marinda Brown, Stratton, Vt.; d. 14 Feb. 1859.

Children born at Boston by wife Mary:

i WILLIAM SANBORN, b. 18 July 1840; m. Sarah E. Hewitt.

ii CHARLES HENRY, b. 15 Dec. 1843; m. 13 March 1869, Annie O. Bentley, Laconia, N. H.

iii SAMUEL, b. 20 March 1845; d. 1 April 1865.

iv GEORGE WASHINGTON, b. 28 Nov. 1847, Woodstock, Vt.; m.

v EPHRAIM BUCK, b. 17 Sept. 1849.

William Sanborn is given as a "lamplighter" in Boston. He is buried, however, in the Sanbornton yard. The

third son, Samuel, served with the 32nd Maine Regulars and was killed at the Battle of Five Forks.

244 SARAH SANBORN (Samuel, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Dover, N. H., Lawrence, Mass.; b. 1812, Sanbornton, N. H.; d. ——; m. 26 Dec. 1841, Charles M. Warren, Dover.

Children:

i CHARLES H.
ii Daughter, d. young.
iii FRANK.
iv EDWARD.

245 EBENEZER KNOWLTON (Oliver, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Manistee, Michigan; b. 14 Nov. 1813, Sanbornton, N. H.; d. ——; m. 15 Jan. 1837, Lowell, Mass., Abigail G. Hale; b. 7 Jan. 1814, Boscawen, N. H.

Children:

330 i MARY SUSAN, b. 15 June 1838.
331 ii GEORGIANNA H., b. 13 Feb. 1843.
332 iii EDWIN KNOWLTON, b. 14 Feb. 1844.
333 iv EMMA WARREN, b. 27 Jan. 1848.
v FLORA JOSEPHINE, b. 26 Dec. 1852.
vi ROYAL.

246 ASA FOSTER (Oliver, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of West Somerville, Mass.; b. 27 Nov. 1818, Campton, N. H.; d. 2 Dec. 1899, Concord, Mass.; m. 8 Dec. 1846, Lowell, Mass., Sarah Nichols; b. 23 Sept. 1823, Effingham, N. H.; d. 14 Dec. 1894, Lowell.

Child born at Lowell:

334 i WALLACE ASA, b. 29 July 1848.

247 SOLOMON COPP (Oliver, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Cambridge and Boston, Mass.; b. 8 Aug. 1820, Campton, N. H.; d. 22 Aug. 1887, Danvers, Mass.; m. 1 May 1842, Martha Gordon; b. 15 Dec. 1821; d. 6 Jan. 1887, Saugus, Mass.; dau. of Henry and Sarah (Palmer) Day Gordon.

Children:

i HORATIO SOLOMON, b. 24 June 1843.
ii SARAH ISABELLE, b. 17 May 1850.

The son enlisted from Cambridge in the 5th Regiment, Infantry, Mass. Vol. Militia.

248 Isaac W. (Oliver, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Chelsea, Mass.; b. 31 Jan. 1823, Campton, N. H.; d. 16 Aug. 1871, Chelsea; m. (1), Lowell, Mass., Susan Jane Hatch; b. 22 Dec. 1824, Wells, Me.; d. 22 June 1868, Chelsea; dau. of Samuel H. and Hannah Hatch; (2) 10 Dec. 1868, Elizabeth M. Plummer, England; dau. of Robert R. and Elizabeth M. Plummer.

Children by wife Susan:

i Anna Mary, b. 23 April 1850; d. 5 Jan. 1870.
ii Ella Frances, b. 4 Oct. 1852; d. 20 April 1870.

Isaac was a carpenter and owned a planing mill. He served in the Civil War with the 50th Massachusetts Volunteer Militia. There has been question whether his second wife was a Plummer by birth, or the widow of Joseph Plummer.

249 Oliver Smith (Oliver, Oliver, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Chelsea, Mass.; b. 4 March 1827, Lowell, Mass.; d. ——; m. 9 March 1851, Lowell, Mass., Nancy Jane ——; b. 24 Sept. 1833, Cornish, Me.; d. 1909, Chelsea.

Children:

i Isaac W.
ii George Franklin, b. 17 Oct. 1852.

Oliver had a planing mill near the bridge in Chelsea.

250 Arthur Benjamin (Jeremiah, Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Sanbornton, N. H., and Middletown, Conn.; b. 30 June 1825, Sanbornton; d. 17 Aug. 1900, Middletown; m. 21 May 1853, Canterbury, N. H., Hannah Foster Woodman; b. 31 Dec. 1827; d. ——; dau. of Caleb M. and Lucy (Foster) Woodman of Canterbury.

Children:

335 i Jeremiah Francis, b. 14 Oct. 1855.
336 ii Arthur Benjamin, b. 20 Feb. 1859.
337 iii Edward Barker, b. 25 Jan. 1862.
iv Samuel Prescott, b. 8 Nov. 1864; m.; no chn.

Judge Calef was a prominent lawyer in Connecticut. He was one of the small group of men who met at Hartford and founded the Republican party in the state, and was a delegate to the national conventions of '60 and '64. He was state treasurer and held many positions of trust in Middletown, serving eleven years as judge of the City Court. He was a lecturer at Wesleyan University, a trustee, and the founder of the oratorical prize. After his retirement from the bench and the practice of the law, he devoted much time to the genealogy of the Calef family. His grandchildren well remember the old gentleman, working day after day in his study. He left the history nearly ready for the press, but in the removal of all the family from the Middletown homes, this has been lost. To none is this a greater regret than to the compiler of this present work.

251 Ebenezer Barker (Jeremiah, Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Northfield, N. H.; b. 11 Aug. 1832; d. ——; m. 11 April 1853, Urana Marcy Dalton; b. 13 Dec. 1833; d. ——; dau. of Absalom and Harriet B. (Aldrich) Dalton, Northfield.

Children born at Northfield:

i Sarah Ann, b. 28 Nov. 1854; m. 4 July 1871, George N. Corliss, Northfield.

ii Mary Eldora, b. 15 July 1857.

iii Charles Henry, b. 22 Dec. 1862; d. 15 Aug. 1880.

252 Mary Jane (James, Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Lowell, Mass.; b. 24 Nov. 1822, Sanbornton, N. H.; d. 25 May 1889, Tilton, N. H.; m. 4 May 1848, Daniel Davis; b. 7 April 1822, Sanbornton; son of Samuel and Prudence (Silver) Davis.

Children:

i James Frank, b. 17 Jan. 1851; d. 13 March 1852.

ii Emma Jane, b. 13 April 1853.

iii Andrew Brackett, b. 13 May 1858.

253 Martha Ann (James, Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Dracut, Mass., Loudon, Sanbornton, and Tilton, N. H.; b. 7 April 1827, Sanbornton; d.

——; m. (1) 7 April 1853, George S. Coburn; d. before 1877; (2) Samuel Prescott Calef (150) of Sanbornton.

Children by husband George Coburn:

i MARY ANNA, b. 15 Sept. 1854; d. 21 Sept. 1854.
ii MARY FRANCES, b. 25 May 1859; d. 11 Dec. 1868.

254 ANDREW JAMES (James, Jeremiah, James, Jeremiah, Robert) of Lowell, Mass.; b. 23 April 1829, Sanbornton, N. H.; d. 16 Jan. 1884, Lowell; m. (1) 30 Sept. 1853, Charlotte W. Knight; d. 11 June 1869; (2) 6 Oct. 1870, Louise J. Estes; dau. of John and Mary Ann (Martin) Estes, China, Maine.

Child by wife Charlotte:

i GEORGE M., b. 30 May 1869; d. 9 Aug. 1869.

Children by wife Louise:

ii LOTTA LOUISE, b. 19 Aug. 1871.
iii SADIE ELLA, b. 15 July 1872.
iv EMMA MAY, b. 5 June 1874.

255 SARAH ELIZABETH (Samuel, Jedediah, John, Robert, Joseph, Robert) of Nininger, Minn.; b. 9 Sept. 1840, St. George, N. B.; d. ——; m. 30 Nov. 1862, James Madison Bowler; b. 10 Jan. 1838, Lee, Me.; d. ——; son of Edward and Clara (Smith) Bowler.

Children born at Nininger:

i VICTORIA AUGUSTA, b. 16 Sept. 1863.
ii SUSAN, b. 14 Sept. 1866; d. 25 Sept. 1866.
iii EDWARD TRUE, b. 24 Jan. 1868; d. 29 Dec. 1868.
iv AMY GEORGETTE, b. 15 Nov. 1869.
v BURTON HASKELL, b. 7 Nov. 1871.

256 LOUISA (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa., b. 21 Aug. 1817, Goshen, Ct.; d. 12 Jan. 1897; m. 2 April 1837, Harry Durfee.

Children:

i EMERA M., b. 31 May 1838; d. 18 July 1842.
ii EDSON BINGLEY, b. 25 June 1844; m. Fanny Parker.
iii POLLY M., b. 18 Oct. 1845; m. Leman D. Forest (Lyman de Forest?).

257 ISABEL (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield and Brown, Pa.; b. 15 June 1820, Smithfield; d. 16 Oct. 1879; m. 27 Dec. 1840, David P. Gillett; b. 15 Dec. 1814; d. 18 April 1887.

Child born at Smithfield:

i EGBERT C., b. 30 July 1843; d. 25 March 1844.

Children born at Brown:

ii ANNA MATILDA, b. 23 Aug. 1846; d. 27 Jan. 1856.
iii ROSALIE, b. 6 Dec. 1848; d. 11 Oct. 1849.
iv JUSTIN E., b. 26 Feb. 1851.

David Gillett was a soldier in the Civil War.

258 EMILY A. (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert); b. 22 Aug. 1826, Smithfield, Pa.; d. 28 Dec. 1863; m. 22 Oct. 1846, Sheldon S. Baker; b. 18 May 1824; d. 21 Nov. 1891.

Children:

i EGBERT C., b. 4 July 1847; m. Brevis Rice.
ii HOWARD F., b. 18 Aug. 1850.
iii ADELL L., b. 22 Nov. 1852.
iv MATILDA I., b. 20 Jan. 1857.
v ALBERT W., b. 1859.
vi FREDERICK, b. 1861; d. 13 April 1864.

These children settled in Kansas, save Matilda, who lived at Athens, Pa. Sheldon Baker served in the Civil War.

259 LOVILLA M. (Califf) (Stephen, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert); b. 21 March 1832, Smithfield, Pa.; d. 25 Oct. 1860; m. 5 Jan. 1853, Waterman T. Brown.

Children:

i WELLS AFTON, b. 7 March 1854.
ii LILLY B., b. 14 Aug. 1856.
iii JESSIE MAY, b. 7 Oct. 1860; d. 1861.

260 JOANNA (Califf) (Ezra, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Liberty, Indiana; b. 17 Feb. 1815, Smithfield, Pa.; d. 19 Oct. 1864, Fulton, Ind.; m. 25

Oct. 1846, Union, Ind., John H. Nees; b. 11 Sept. 1819, Indiana.

Children:

i EMERINE L., b. 2 July 1848; m. 7 Mch. 1874, Zachary T. McKree, Allen, Ind.
ii EZRA C., b. 20 Oct. 1849; of Liberty, Ind.

261 LOVISA (Califf) (Ezra, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Alexandria, Neb.; b. 10 Oct. 1816, Smithfield, Pa.; d. ——; m. 7 Oct. 1847, Union, Ind., William A. Bacon; b. 2 April 1819, Windsor, N. Y.

Children:

i CLARISSA A., b. 14 July 1850; m. 1871, W. T. Hill.
ii CYRUS H., b. 1 June 1854.
iii CHLOE L., b. 3 Nov. 1856.
iv WILLIAM H., b. 8 May 1859.
v HARRIET N., b. 7 Sept. 1863.

262 LOIS (Califf) (Ezra, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Alexandria, Neb.; b. 16 June 1821, Smithfield, Pa.; d. ——; m., Union, Ind., John L. Willard; b. 18 July 1819, Worcester, Mass.

Children:

i REBECCA S., b. 19 Jan. 1850; m. 1868, Nigel R. McHenry.
ii JASPER G., b. 11 Jan. 1853.
iii ALMEDA, b. 9 May 1858.
iv JOANNA, b. 20 Apr. 1860.

263 NEWELL (Califf) (Ezra, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Liberty, Ind.; b. 26 June 1823, Smithfield, Pa.; d. 15 Nov. 1862, Bowling Green, Ky.; m. 2 March 1851, Liberty, Clarissa O. Bacon; b. 28 April 1824, Windsor, N. Y.; d. 28 Nov. 1856, Liberty.

Children:

338 i MARY E., b. 7 Jan. 1852.
ii REBECCA S., b. 30 Jan. 1854; d. 1 Nov. 1856.
iii ALMA J., b. 1 May 1856; lived at Alexandria, Neb.

264 GILBERT M. (Califf) (Ezra, Stephen, Stephen,

Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Liberty, Ind.; b. 27 Aug. 1828. Smithfield, Pa.; d. ——; m. (1) 3 Sept. 1857, Rochester, Ind., Hester A. Fitzgerald; b. 12 July 1840, New York; d. 4 Dec. 1862, Fulton Co., Ind.; (2) 19 March 1863, Rochester, Cynthia E. Fitzgerald; b. 18 July 1833, New York; d. 26 March 1869, Fulton Co., Ind.; (3) 13 Jan. 1870, Allen, Ind., Margaret Feltrow; b. 3 Jan. 1845, Coshocton, O.

Children born at Liberty by wife Hester:

i ALBERT J., b. 23 June 1858.
ii PHILA C., b. 8 March 1860.
iii LAURA, b. 6 Sept. 1862; d. 26 Dec. 1862.

Children by wife Cynthia:

iv ADALINE C., b. 17 July 1865.
v EMMA J., b. 22 Dec. 1866.
vi CHARLES N., b. 17 Jan. 1869.

Children by wife Margaret:

vii SAMANTHY A., b. 14 March 1871.
viii WILLIAM G., b. 7 Feb. 1873; d. 3 Sept. 1873.
ix OMAR D. W., b. 24 March 1874.

265 LINUS AUSTIN (Califf) (Jonathan, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa.; b. 19 July 1822, Smithfield; d. 20 Jan. 1890; m. 23 Dec. 1840, Lydia Keziah Gillett.

Children born at Smithfield:

i POLLY MALONA, b. 1 Feb. 1842; d. 10 May 1875.
ii SOPHRONIA, b. 25 May 1845; d. 27 May 1845.
iii CHARLES E., b. 19 July 1846; m. 31 March 1869, Nancy C. Mead.
iv WEALTHY EULALIA, b. 27 Dec. 1847; d. 14 Jan. 1849.
v MARY CHARLOTTE, b. 15 Oct. 1849; m. (1) Horace Weed; 1 dau.; (2) Jacob Frios; no chn.
vi JOHN LAVANDA, b. 12 June 1851; d. 17 July 1873.
vii SARAH EMMA, b. 12 June 1853; m. 3 Oct. 1872, Calvin Allen; 2 dau.
339 viii LINUS PLUMLEY, b. 25 Feb. 1855.
340 ix STILSON SURENUS, b. 23 Oct. 1856.
x JUDSON SAMUEL, b. 28 Jan. 1858; m. 3 Dec. 1883, Josephine Furman.

266 David Emri (Califf) (Jonathan, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield and Franklin, Pa., Fruitland, Mich.; b. 16 Feb. 1825, Smithfield; d. ——; m. 21 June 1844, Harriet Knickerbocker.

Child born at Smithfield:

i Charles Emri, b. 16 Sept. 1845; d. 12 June 1896; m. 19 June 1867, Emily Evans, Illinois.

Children born at Franklin:

ii Francis Burton, b. 14 Feb. 1847; m. 10 Aug. 1874, Mary Pulson, Dalton, Mich.

iii Alvin Adelbert, b. 23 April 1849; m. Ida Gage, Dalton.

iv Emma K., b. 12 July 1850; m. 25 Dec. 1870, A. Jenkins, Fruitland.

v Ella Althea, b. 5 March 1852; d. 21 May 1871, Three Oaks, Mich.; m. 25 Dec. 1870, B. Scoles.

vi James Samuel, b. 15 March 1855; d. 24 Oct. 1887, St. Paul, Minn.; m. 10 Oct. 1879, Lizzie Sacks, Whitehall, Mich.

Children born at Fruitland:

vii Elmer Ernest, b. 1 Oct. 1860; d. 4 Aug. 1863, Fruitland.

viii Ernest Eugene, b. 18 Dec. 1863; d. April 1864, Fruitland.

ix Ernest Robert, b. 10 April 1865; m. 3 April 1887, Nellie McMillan.

267 Obed Warren (Califf) (Jonathan, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa., and Grand Rapids, Mich.; b. 12 Oct. 1829, Smithfield; d. ——; m. 8 May 1850, Althea Amelia Knickerbocker.

Children born at Smithfield:

341 i Wilber Jonathan, b. 25 March 1851.

ii Polly Josephine, b. 19 Oct. 1854; d. 4 May 1856.

342 iii Emery Fremont, b. 16 June 1856.

Born at Dalton, Mich.:

iv Frank Emri, b. 1 June 1867; d. 3 Oct. 1871.

v Lester David, b. 28 Aug. 1869.

Obed Warren Califf was a captain in the Civil War.

268 EDWIN BEEBE (Califf) (Joel, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa., Wisconsin, Arkansas; b. 8 Feb. 1822, Smithfield; d. 1853; m. (1) 16 Feb. 1842, East Smithfield, Minerva Kellogg; m. (2) ——.

Child by second wife:

i Daughter, married; name unknown.

269 SAMUEL BRADFORD (Califf) (Joel, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Franklin, Ia., and Oregon City, Ore.; b. 3 Feb. 1826, Smithfield, Pa.; d. ——; m. 24 Sept. 1849, Elizabeth Holenbeck.

Children:

i CHARLES.
ii GEORGE RUTHVEN.
iii SARAH JANE.
iv EDWARD SALSBURY.
v ELIZABETH.
vi IDA JANE.
vii NORA.

Capt. Samuel Bradford Califf enlisted with two of his brothers, Joseph and Evelyn, at the outbreak of the war, all three in the same company. He served throughout the war.

270 JOEL MARK (Califf) (Joel, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of South Dakota and of Lawler, Iowa; b. 28 Oct. 1827, Smithfield, Pa.; d. ——; m. March 1849, Ann Oakley.

Children:

343 i SUSAN JANE, b. 27 Nov. 1849.
344 ii EMMA EMELIA, b. 11 Dec. 1851.
iii MARY ESTELLA, b. Feb. 1856; d. 19 Nov. 1874; m. 1 March 1874, William Pond.
345 iv SCOTT ALMUS, b. 29 July 1862.

271 ADALIZA JANE (Califf) (Joel, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Oregon City, Ore.; b. 13 Aug. 1829, Smithfield, Pa.; d., Oregon City; m. 29 Dec. 1850, William Larkins.

Children:

i HOMER.
ii ELMER.
iii CHARLES.
iv SEYMOUR.
v ELLEN.
vi ALICE.
vii HATTIE.
viii MARGARET.
ix ADELAIDE.

272 JULIA ADELAIDE (Califf) (Joel, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert); b. 4 June 1836, Smithfield, Pa.; d. 1890, Colorado; m. 1855, Samuel Duncan; b. ——; d. before 1865.

Children:

i JANE.
ii MINNIE.
iii EDWIN.
iv JOHN.
v ESTELLA.

Samuel Duncan was killed in the Civil War.

273 JOHN NEWTON (Califf) (Hosea, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Towanda, Pa.; b. 9 May 1839, Smithfield, Pa.; d. ——; m. 26 July 1865, Rose McCabe; b. 8 Jan. 1843, Pa.; dau. of James McCabe.

Children:

346 i JAMES H., b. 19 July 1866.
ii MARY E., b. 16 May 1868; m. June 1890, J. P. Hoffman; c.
347 iii CHARLES J., b. 22 June 1869.
iv NELLIE B., b. 8 Jan. 1878; d. 1 Jan. 1892.

John Newton enlisted as a private in the Civil War and was discharged by reason of ill health. He held the county offices of district attorney, registrar and recorder.

274 JOSEPH MARK (Califf) (Hosea, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of East Smithfield and Towanda, Pa.; b. 31 Aug. 1843, Smithfield; d. 9 Dec. 1914, Towanda; m. 4 June 1902, Louisville, Ky.,

Katherine Wendell Hardy; b. 13 Sept. 1871; dau. of James C. and Lucy G. Hardy of Louisville.

Child born at Fort Douglas, Utah:

i. LUCY SPEED, b. 22 Jan. 1904.

Children born at Towanda, Pa.:

ii KATHERINE WENDELL HARDY, b. 21 Aug. 1906.
iii CHARLOTTE JOSEPHINE, b. 27 May 1908.
iv JOSEPH MARK, b. 27 Feb. 1911.
v EDWARD HARDY, b. 24 Aug. 1912; d. same day.

Joseph Mark served in the Civil War, rising to the rank of Brigadier general. While Lieutenant, he was professor of Military Science and Tactics at Iowa State University.

275 MARY JOSEPHINE (Califf) (Hosea, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of East Smithfield, Pa.; b. 31 Aug. 1843, Smithfield; d. ——; m. 4 Apr. 1874, Amos Allen of E. Smithfield.

Child:

i MARY ELMIRA, b. 28 Apr. 1876.

276 ELLEN (Califf) (Enos, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert); b. 1 Jan. 1841, Smithfield, Pa.; d. 14 April 1893; m. 28 Nov. 1861, Amos Crawford Hale.

Children:

i MAGGIE, b. 6 May 1863; d. 16 Sept. 1863.
ii CLAYTON SYDNEY, b. 7 Dec. 1865; d. Nov. 1887.
iii ARTHUR DELOS, b. 24 Jan. 1868.
iv FANNY LAURA, b. 25 March 1871.
v FLOYD OWEN, b. 26 Oct. 1874.

277 EMMARETT (Califf) (Enos, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert); b. 8 Jan. 1846, Smithfield, Pa.; d. ——; m. 9 June 1869, A. Owen Campbell.

Children:

i CHARLES JUSTIN, b. 3 Sept. 1870; m. 20 June 1895, Adaline Eaton Bartlett; 1 son.
ii KATIE LUZINA, b. 12 Feb. 1881.

278 JUSTIN EDWIN (Califf) (Enos, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of Smithfield, Pa.; b. 13 April

1852, Smithfield; d. ——; m. Dec. 1890, Carrie Mattocks.

Children:

i HARRY, b. 5 Nov. 1891.
ii MABEL, b. 5 June 1894.

279 ESTHER PHEBE (Califf) (Rufus, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert); b. 12 Nov. 1832, Smithfield, Pa.; d. ——; m. 30 Dec. 1852, Sumner William Marvin; b. 11 Aug. 1827.

Child:

i JESSIE, b. 1 Aug. 1866; m. 31 Aug. 1886, Charles Fraley; c.

280 STEPHEN ALLEN (Califf) (Allen, Stephen, Stephen, Peter, Joseph, Robert) of East Smithfield, Pa., West Newark, N. Y.; b. 29 Feb. 1836, East Smithfield; d. ——; m. 27 April 1865, Emily Matthews; b. 13 Aug. 1833, Orwell, Pa.; dau. of Samuel and Betsy (Fletcher) Matthews.

Children:

i ALDEN MATTHEWS, b. 29 Jan. 1866, East Smithfield.
ii ALICE LOUISE } b. 20 June 1868, West Newark.
iii CASPER ALLEN }
iv MARTHA, b. 28 Feb. 1871, Wells, Pa.; d. 13 Dec. 1871, Wells.
v GRACE, b. 10 March 1873, East Smithfield; d. 7 Feb. 1874.

Stephen Allen was a minister in the Presbyterian Church. He graduated from Jefferson College in 1862, and from Princeton Theological Seminary in 1865. Most of the data on the "Califf" branch of the family comes from the account prepared by him. The eldest son, Alden, graduated from Princeton, 1894.

281 ANN AUGUSTA (John, Joseph, John, John, John, Robert) of Andover and Canaan, N. H., Springfield, Mass.; b. Hampstead, N. H.; d. ——; m. Joseph Ware of Andover.

Children:

i ETTA.

ii ANNA.
iii Son.

282 SARAH (Josiah, Joseph, John, William, John, Robert) of South Berwick, Me., Exeter, N. H.; b. 14 March 1813, Saco Me.; d. 9 Oct. 1847, South Berwick; m. 4 May 1835, Saco, Dr. Ezra Bartlett, Jr.; b. 28 Sept. 1811, Warren, N. H.; d. ——; son of Dr. Ezra and Hannah (Gale) Bartlett.

Children:

i SARAH, b. 17 Sept. 1837; d. 2 Sept. 1846.
ii OSMAN, b. 6 May 1839; d. 7 Sept. 1839.
iii ALBERT, b. 10 May 1844; d. 7 Sept. 1844.
iv JOSIAH CALEF, b. 3 May 1846.

283 JOSIAH BARTLETT (Josiah, Joseph, John, William, John, Robert) of Boston, Mass., Berwick, Me., Mobile, Ala.; b. 27 April 1822, Boston; d. 13 June 1886, Berwick; m. (1) 18 Oct. 1848, South Berwick, Mary Jane Ferguson; b. 27 Sept. 1821; d. 10 Aug. 1860, Mobile; dau. of Timothy and Eliza (Goodwin) Ferguson, South Berwick; (2) 27 Nov. 1861, Mobile, Harriet Hall; b. 11 March 1824; d. 15 June 1870; dau. of Judge Hall, ex-mayor of Mobile; (3) 24 Feb. 1873, Sophia Farrors; b. 1829, England.

Children by wife Mary:

i MARY, b. 27 Oct. 1850; d. 18 March 1882; m. O. F. Page, Biddeford, Me.
ii JOHN FERGUSON, b. 23 Aug. 1853.
iii SARAH PHILLIPS, b. 22 June 1856; d. 12 June 1863.
iv WILLIAM FREDERICK, b. 4 July 1858; d. 28 July 1858.

Child by wife Harriet:

v JOSIAH BARTLETT, b. 4 Aug. 1863; m. Emily Churchill, dau. of former Governor Churchill of Arkansas; of Little Rock, Ark.

284 GEORGE FOLGER (Josiah, Joseph, John, William, John, Robert) of Saco, Me.; b. 17 June 1829, Saco; d. 5 Aug. 1891; m. 13 June 1866, Portland, Me., Frances Ann Shepley Thornton; b. 1 Aug. 1837, Saco; d. 16 May

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1904, Medford, Mass.; dau. of James B. and Eliza (Gookin) Thornton, Oak Hill, Me.

Children born at Saco:

i GEORGE THORNTON, b. 14 Feb. 1871; d. 11 Aug. 1871.

ii RALPH GOOKIN, b. 16 Dec. 1874; m. Leonora A. Robertson.

iii MABEL, b. 20 April 1878; d. 21 April 1878.

285 HANNAH BARTLETT (Josiah, Joseph, John, William, John, Robert); b. 19 Feb. 1831, Saco, Me.; d. 28 Jan. 1919, Brookline, Mass.; m. 27 Nov. 1851, Saco, Col. Charles Cutts Gookin Thornton; b. 11 May 1830, Saco; d. ——; son of James B. and Eliza (Gookin) Thornton, Oak Hill, Me.

Child:

i MARY CALEF, b. 30 March 1853.

286 BENJAMIN SHREVE (John, Joseph, John, William, John, Robert) of Salem and Boston, Mass.; b. 26 Jan. 1835, Saco, Me.; d. 9 Jan. 1897, Boston; m. 22 Oct. 1868, New York City, Annie Macdonald; b. 4 March 1845, Limerick, Maine; d. 27 March 1938, Riverdale-on-Hudson, New York; dau. of Moses and Susan Ann (Libby) Macdonald, Portland, Maine.

Major Calef enlisted in 1861 in the Engineers Corps, 9th Regiment, New York State Militia, "for three years or for the duration of the war". In October, 1861, he helped organize Berdan's U. S. Sharpshooters, serving on Col. Berdan's staff until 1863, when assigned to the staff of Major-General Birney, commanding First Division Third Army Corps. He was in all the campaigns from the occupation of Fredericksburg to the second battle of Bull Run, was at Chancellorsville and Gettysburg and was taken prisoner on the second day of the battle of the Wilderness, 1864, when carrying orders for General Hancock. Finding himself within the enemy lines, he jumped into a stream and by the time his captors reached him, the papers were safe beneath the water under a stone. For the next seven months, he was confined at various points in the Confederacy. Of the several attempts at

escape made by him with his fellow prisoners, the most nearly successful was at Macon Prison. Two tunnels had laboriously been dug under the wall. There was no moon, all was in readiness when, a few hours before nightfall, they were betrayed by one of their number, for the price of his own release. In telling the story, Major Calef said, "It was not the loss of personal liberty, but our failure to get so considerable a number of men back to the Northern army that made this treachery so tragic," and he had no harsher comment on the betrayer than, "One can hardly believe he found the reward sufficient compensation for what he had done."

He was exchanged in 1864 and being unfit for further service, resigned from the army, refusing the Major's commission sent him by President Lincoln. It was, however, the title by which he was always known. His story of this prison life was printed in *Harper's* for July, 1865.

Major Calef came back to Boston, to be throughout his life its loyal citizen. He gave time generously to boards and committees that labored for the public good and to Trinity Church, of which he was vestryman. He was manager of the New England branch of the New York Life and president of the National Association of Life Underwriters, a man of wide influence, fearless, wise and genial, honored and loved by all who knew him.

Child born at Boston, Mass.

348 i ANNE MACDONALD, b. 5 Aug. 1881.

348 ANNE MACDONALD (Benjamin, John, Joseph, John, William, John, Robert), of Boston, Mass., and Riverdale-on-Hudson, New York; b. 5 Aug. 1881, Boston; m. 8 June 1910, Boston, Francis Boardman; b. 15 Aug. 1875, Rutland, Vt.; son of William H. and Henrietta Frances (Hall) Boardman of Rutland and New York.

Children born at Riverdale.

i ELISABETH, b. 16 Aug. 1911; m. 28 Dec. 1933, Francis Vernon Lloyd, Jr.; b. 19 June 1908, at York Harbor, Me.; c.

ANNE MACDONALD CALEF
born 5 August 1881
Boston

"LOOKING BACK"
ROBERT CALEF BOARDMAN
born 23 July 1918

ii WILLIAM HALL, b. 22 Oct. 1912; m. 25 Nov. 1937, Jane Carrott; b. 24 Apr. 1916, New York, N. Y.
iii FRANCIS, JR., b. 2 Oct. 1915.
iv ROBERT CALEF, b. 23 July 1918.

In continuance of her father's (Benjamin Shreve Calef's) interest in the early days of his country and his forbears, Anne Calef Boardman has, for some thirty years collected what she could of Calef fact and tradition. In 1928, working with William Wallace Lunt, the first pamphlet of Calef Genealogy was published. A quotation from its preface may, in part, explain the interest felt in Robert Calef by many of his descendants.

"Calef was far ahead of his time, with courage and an indomitable will to force his utterances to be noticed and bring forth a reply. Broad-minded, the enemy of bigotry and superstition, he is written of in Andrew D. White's 'History of the Warfare of Science with Theology,' as on a par with Montaigne, Voltaire and Thomasius in his efforts for right reason. His time saw no greater American colonist. When the pious fanatic pastor of Salem, the Rev. Mr. Noyes, viewing the bodies of six women, hanged for witchcraft, said, 'What a sad thing it is to see these firebrands of hell hanging there,' and Cotton Mather was hysterically sending forth his book, 'Wonders of the Invisible World,' Robert Calef stood for sanity, for a just valuation of individual responsibility and right."

It has been observed that Calef's trait of determination and inclination to state facts regardless of consequences has persisted among many of his descendants — endowed, let us hope, with something of his clarity and wisdom.

Into the hands of the last and youngest of those here recorded, ROBERT CALEF BOARDMAN, this memorial of his forefathers is given, with trust and abiding affection.

APPENDIX

EARLY CALEF RECORDS IN ENGLAND.

Early records show the Calefs living in or near London, Stansted, Homerton, and a group at Bury St. Edmonds; another group are buried at St. Paul's Church, Convent Garden, London. Banks' *Able Men of Suffolk* lists Robert, Joseph, Jerome, and at Alphlelon a William. Stansted would seem to be the natural place for Robert the emigrant to have sprung from — as the names of the Stansted family (see 1640, Jerome's will) are carried on by Robert and his descendants for generations. Jerome's brother, Robert, may have taken the £100 left to him and been the Robert listed by Banks (in his *Emigrants 1620-1650*) as in this country in 1638. There is no record of Robert's ship, of any land or other deeds, — nor his death, whereas the Robert born 1648 who may have been his son, is a well-known figure in Boston after 1688, but how he came there, no one knows! The Somerset House Folios, Essex Deeds Books, Suffolk and Middlesex records should yield material, and the Shipping Files perhaps cover the London firm of Calef and Chuter that operated for many years.

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Vol.	*Page*	
2	238	Mary, daughter of John and Mary Calfe, born 7 June, 1738, *Christening* in St. James, Clerkenwell.
3	91	1602 — Joyes Calf, son of Joyes Calf, Stranger, *Christening* in St. Dione's Back Church.
	92	1605 — Joyes Calf, son of Joyes Calf, Stranger, *Burial.*
		Benjamin Calf, son of Joyes Calf, Stranger, Marchant, *Christening,* Stranger and denesne (denison), in Dutch Church.
	205	1601 — a "Chrisonce" child of Georg Calf, *Burial.*
	16	* Robert Calef — Stanstead (England), Roxbury (Mass.). See Banks' *Topographical Dictionary of English Emigrants.*

* See Vol. 27, Essex Inst. Hist. Coll.

390 Banks' *Able Men of Suffolk*, Stansted, Robert Calfe, Joseph Calfe, Jerom Calf (no e). Alphleton, William Calfe, 1638.

56 1622-1692 — William Kalf, painter, lived in Amsterdam, Holland. See *The Netherlands Displayed* by Marjorie Bowen.

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Vol. 4 Registers of St. Paul's Church, Convent Garden, London. Burials 1653-1752.

p. 125 Edward, son of Peter Calf, Esq., in the church, 15 Aug. 1689.

p. 230 Mary Calf, widow, from St. Andrew's, Holbourn, in ye church, 24 Aug. 1713.

p. 123 Peter Calf, from St. Andrew's, Holbourn, in ye church, Jan. 1688.

p. 235 Peter, from Devonshire St., in ye church, M. Ile. (middle aisle), against no. 16 and 17, 12 Nov. 1714.

p. 192 Robert Calfe from St. Andrew's, Holborn, in ye church, 16 June 1704.

p. 45 Peter Colfe, gent., in ye church, 5 Dec. 1667. (No further record in Volumes 1, 2, 3, or 5.)

Vol. 24 Marriage licenses — Faculty office, London, 1543-1869.

p. 102 Peter's widow, Alice, age 35, married 1668, Sir Edward Greaves, marriage license 27 Feb. 1667-8. Sir Edward Greaves, Baronet of St. Paul's Convent Garden, Middlesex, Widower, 45, and Alice Calfe of Tottenham, High Cross, Middlesex, Widow, 35 and upwards, at Tottenham aforesaid, or St. Dunstan in the West — London.

p. 159 20 Jan. 1681-2, Edward Lloyd of Beth Lloyd, county Montgomery, Esq., widower, and Elizabeth Calfe, of St. Paul's Convent Garden, Middlesex, spinster, and at her own disposal, at Paddington or St. Giles in the Fields, Middlesex.

p. 58 11 Feb. 1661-2, Edward Barrett of Gray's Inn, Esq., Bachelor, 28, and Jocina Calfe, spr. (spinster), 17, daughter of Peter Calfe of Tottenham

High Cross, Middlesex, Esq., who consents, at St. Bartholomew the Less, or St. Peter's, West Cheapside, London.

Vol. 25 Allegations for marriage licenses, London, 1520-1620.

p. 302 5 Feb. 1607-8, William Wildes of Christ Church, London, and Joane Calfe of same, spinster, daughter of William Calfe, late of Thackham County, Berkshire, yeoman, deceased, at Christ Church aforesaid.

Vol. 31 Allegations for marriage licenses, Vicar General, Archbishop of Canterbury, 1687-1694. (1669-1672, no Calefs.)

p. 255 26 April 1693, John Calfe of St. Clement's Danes, Middlesex, Colourman, Bachelor, about 24, and Mrs. Susan Gardner of the same, spinster, about 18, with consent of her mother, at St. Mary's, Savoy, Middlesex.

(Hampshire Allegations for marriage licenses, 1689-1837, has none.)

Vol. 69 Marriage licenses from Arch-deaconery of Sudbury, Suffolk, 1684-1754.

p. 146 Wm. Sparke of Bury St. Edmonds, s. m. (single man), 22, and Susan Calf of Horringer, single woman, 20 years, at St. Mary's, Bury St. Edmonds, or Horringer, B. M., Thomas Fuller, of Bury St. Edmonds, 29 Jan. 1738.

p. 200 John Page of Stanstead, single man, 29 years, and Frances Calf of (blank), 22 years, at Wickhambrook, married, 18 Sept. 1749.

Vol. 71 Allegations for marriage licenses in Sudbury, 1782-1814.

p. 37 Wm. Calfe of St. Mary's, Bury St. Edmunds, single man, and Elizabeth Turner, single woman of same, at same, married, 29 Oct. 1788.

p. 147 William Olle Rougham, single man, and Hannah Calfe, of St. Mary's, Bury St. Edmunds, at same, 16 May 1808.

Calefs have been located in 1940 in the following twenty-six states:

Alabama	2	Missouri	4
California	20	Montana	3
Colorado	1	Nebraska	2
Georgia	4	New Hampshire	8
Illinois	6	New Jersey	4
Indiana	2	New York	4
Iowa	1	Ohio	15
Kentucky	1	Oregon	13
Louisiana	2	Pennsylvania	1
Maine	10	Virginia	2
Massachusetts	23	Washington	5
Michigan	16	Wisconsin	1
Minnesota	1	District of Columbia	3

The following variants of the name Calef are found: Calef, Caleff, Calf, Calif, Califf, Callif, Caileff, Calph.

WAR RECORDS.

French and Indian Wars.

Daniel (23), Privateer *Hawk*, 1744.
James Starr (15-vii), with Connecticut troops, 1758.
James (19), killed at Ft. William Henry, 1757.
Jeremiah (24), killed, Ft. William Henry, 1757.
Jeremiah (62), Captain.
John (19-iii), private in Crown Point expedition, 1757, Capt. Richard Saltonstall.
John (16), prisoner of the French on shipboard, before 1739.
John (27), Crown Point, 1756, Louisburg, 1760.
John (40), Lake Champlain, 1759.
Joseph (22), scout in Captain Goffe's Company, 1746.
Robert (21), Louisburg, 1745, Sergeant in Capt. Edward Williams' company, Moore's regiment.
Samuel (19-ii), killed at Ft. William Henry, 1757.
Stephen (39), Crown Point, 1759.

The Revolution.

Daniel (50), Sergeant, Col. Enoch Poor's regiment, 1775.
Daniel (59), "mattross," Col. Craft's artillery.
George Robert Twelves Hewes (6-i), Boston Tea Party, navy.
James Starr (15-vii), Boston Tea Party, navy.

James (48), commissary, Ticonderoga, 1777.
John (40), Captain of company guarding the coast, 1776, captain of Co. 4, Col. Pierce Long's regiment, Ticonderoga, 1777.
John (41), Captain of a company on Great Island, Piscataqua Harbor, 1775.
Joseph (22), Lexington alarm, 1776.
Joseph (68), Captain Vose's company, 1776.
Joseph Warren (7-i), General, Bunker Hill, killed, 1775.
Samuel (28-ii), private, Capt. Lemuel Trescott's company, Col. Brewer's regiment, 1775. Capt. Jonah Vose's company, 1776; brigantine *Hawk,* 1777.
Stephen (39), Bennington alarm, 1777; sergeant, Capt. Elisha Jackson's company.
William (43), Lieutenant, Col. Enoch Craft's regiment, Bennington.
Winter (9 or 69?), frigate *Boston,* 1777.

War of 1812.

James (116), Capt. Samuel Aiken's company.
John (107), New Hampshire Regulars.
Joseph (117), 17th New Hampshire Regiment, defense of Portsmouth Harbor, 1814.
Nathaniel (95), Capt. Joseph Kimball's company.
Zachariah (104), fourteen months' service.

Civil War.

Benjamin Shreve (286), Major, cavalry; Engineer Corps, 9th Regiment, N. Y. State Militia, 1861; Berdan's sharpshooters; prisoner, battle of the Wilderness, 1864.
Charles Henry (178-i), First Maine Heavy Artillery, Co. D.
David Robert (233), Lieutenant.
Evelyn Frank (153-ix), wounded at Vicksburg and died.
Francis Albion (178-iii), 7th Regiment Maine Volunteers, Co. C.
George Greenleaf (114-i), Co. C, Ohio Regiment.
George Washington (214), 2nd Lieutenant, Co. H, 11th Regiment.
George Wesley (301), Co. I, 9th Maine Volunteers; re-enlisted in Co. B, 8th U. S. Veteran Volunteers.
George Whitefield (107-vii), New Hampshire Regiment.
Henry Calef George (187-i), 16th New Hampshire Regulars, buried at Fort Anderson.

Horatio Solomon (247-i), Co. B, 5th Reg. Infantry, Mass. Volunteer Militia.
Isaac W. (248), Co. H, 50th Mass. Volunteers Militia.
John Haskell (170-iii), Major 2nd Artillery, Battery A, which fired the first gun at Gettysburg.
John Howard (291), Lieutenant, 88th Illinois, 3rd Army Corps, 1863; staff officer, 1864.
John Newton (273), private.
Johnathan (125), Corporal, 2nd New Hampshire Regulars, Co. A, killed.
Joseph Badger (153-vi).
Joseph Mark (274), Brigadier General.
Joseph Warren (305), private, Battle of Chichester.
Obed Warren (267), Captain.
Samuel (243-iii), 32nd Maine Regulars, killed at Five Forks.
Samuel Bradford (269), Captain.
William (174-vi), 2nd New Hampshire Regulars, prisoner at Gettysburg, died in prison.
William Winchester (125-v).

STONES.

Boscawen, N. H. Moses (185-i).
Charlestown, Mass., First Congregational Church. Peter (11).
Hampstead, N. H., Hampstead Yard. Judge John Calef and wife, Lois (40).
Haverhill, Mass., Plaistow Yard. Capt. Nicholas and Mary Calef White (12).
Ipswich, Mass., First Parish Yard, Joseph (2), Robert (8). Old Essex Yard, Mary Ayer Calef Choate (2), Samuel (2-iii).
Moore's Ferry, N. H., Davis (57) and many of his family.
Roxbury, Mass., Eustis Street Burying Ground. Robert (1) and his wife, Mary. Eliot Cemetery, Daniel (1-viii).
Saco, Maine, Laurel Hill Cemetery. Josiah (167) and many of the family, Benjamin Shreve (286) and Anne Macdonald Calef.
Salem, Mass., Harmony Grove. John Pierce Barnard (169) and Rebecca Shreve Calef and others of the family.
Salisbury, N. H., Salisbury Yard. David (89-i), Joseph (44), Mrs. Hannah Pettingill Calef and Sarah Cushing Calef, William (43) and his wife, Anna Rowell. Old Grave Yard, David (92) and his wife, Sarah Jones.

Sanbornton, N. H., Calef Yard. Family of Jeremiah (62), Josiah Sanborn (239), William Sanborn (243).

Sandown, N. H., Yard near. Joseph (79) and his wife, Nabby Kimball.

Smithfield, Pa. Stephen Califf (73) and his wife, Ruth Allen and others of the family.

South Bridgewater, Mass., Scotland Yard. Jasper Starr, husband of Margaret Calef Starr (15).

There are doubtless Stones in the yards at Grantham, Chester and Roxbury, N. H., Nantucket and Gloucester, Mass., and at other places where members of the family had their homes.

PLACES CONNECTED WITH THE CALEF FAMILY.

Auburn (Chester), N. H. Joseph Calef (22) built his house on the road from Candia to Bunker Hill well before the Revolution. His youngest son, David (57), lived here till he moved to Londonderry. James (116), the son of David's elder brother, Joseph (56), next had the house and it went, at his death in 1858 to his son, Charles Weeks Calef (227). It was standing in 1869, said to be the oldest house in Auburn.

Boston. The mansion of Joseph (9) and Hannah, built before 1760 was probably also the home of their bachelor son, Ebenezer Winter Calef (9-vi), who continued his father's business. It stood at the corner of Milk and Congress Streets. There is a picture of it in Snow's *History of Boston.* Ebenezer sold the Milk Street property to his nephew, E. Winter Calef (69), in 1807. The State Bank now stands on the site.

Cape Elizabeth, Maine. Probably about the time he left Boston, 1774, Joseph (9) built a house at Cape Elizabeth, Spurwinck, Maine. Here he lived with his son and daughter, Samuel (9-iii) and Elizabeth (9-xi). Later came the son, Ebenezer Winter (9-vi). Joseph (68), a grandson, inherited much of the Cape Elizabeth property from his Aunt Elizabeth and lived there probably till 1814. The house was standing in 1872.

Calef Highway. Opened in 1937, runs from Epping to Barrington, N. H., through country largely opened up and settled in early days by Robert Calef's descendants.

Calef Island lies in the harbor of L' Estaing, New Bruns-

wick. It is sometimes called Fryes' Island or Paines' Island. It is said to have been named for the family of Dr. John Calef (27), who went to Halifax after the Revolution.

Calf Island in Boston harbor (Calfe on an early deed) was Calef property in early Colonial days and sold probably by Joseph (9).

Castine, Maine. The old Calef house, built on Cape Rosier in 1779 may have been the home of Dr. John Calef (27), who was there with the British army, or of "John of Castine" (52), "the son of the elusive King Calef" (20). It was moved from Cape Rosier by the British, and set up for a barracks in Perkins Street, and might with repairs, wrote Dr. G. H. Wheeler in the *History of Castine,* "last for years to come." One of the windows, now broken, an officer had carved with a diamond, a ship, bottom upward, and underneath: "Yankee Doodle Upside Down." The fine brass knocker and the bulls eye glass from over a door were taken for a summer cottage at the extreme end of Castine, near Dice Head Light, the summer home of Frank T. Wood, of Bangor.

Ipswich, Mass. John Calef (27) the loyalist, sold his Ipswich home in 1775 to John Heard. The house was moved to a site east of the South Meeting House, and was the home of Captain Samuel Caldwell. It was standing in 1887.

Kingston, N. H. The "Huntoon Place" was the homestead of Col. John and Judith Challis Calef (41). He left the house when he died in 1806 for the use of his widow. At her death in 1821 it went to the two daughters, Mary Calef Colby (83) and Hannah Calef Thayer (84). Hannah Thayer and her children lived there.

Milton, Mass. In 1758 Samuel and Rebecca Miller gave to their daughter Mehitable and her husband, Joseph Calef (28), a house and forty acres of land in Milton. "Joseph Calef, 1760" is cut on one of the window panes. This house descended to their son, Ebenezer Winter Calef (69). In 1870 it was still standing, the home of the town clerk.

Salisbury, N. H. William Calef (17) gave his son William (43) land in the southeastern part of Salisbury. There the younger man had a farm of a hundred acres. The house was on the "south side of the road from Kingston Meeting-house to Chester." It went to his son David (92), who lived there till his death in 1851. The place apparently remained in the family at least through another generation.

Sanbornton, N. H. The house near Calef Hill was built by Jeremiah Calef (62) in 1793. His second son, James (142), lived on the homestead till 1856. It then went to the youngest son, Jeremiah Bracket Calef (142-iv). It passed out of the family in 1938 when bought by Dr. Ralph Meader of Yale.

Scarborough, Maine. "Nonesuch Farm" near "Oak Hill" was part of the Jordan property, the family of Hannah Jordan Calef. Joseph Calef (9) sold it before the Revolution. In 1850 it was owned by Harrison Juell Libbey, great uncle of Anne Calef Boardman (348), and is still used by his descendants.

Weston, Mass. The house of the sea captain, Robert Calef (32), at Weston was apparently an imposing place. An early, undated newspaper clipping says that the captain lived at the head of the street in "almost baronial splendor." His widow lived in Weston till 1834, but the property had, before that time, gone out of her hands.

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